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19, Madison township, Sandusky county, and nearly a mile northwest from the once famous Kirkbride gusher, which was completed some several months ago and set the country wild. The Ohio company's well when drilled to fifteen feet in the sand was considered a 50 barrel producer, and was allowed to produce from that pay for a few days when the tools were started downward again. At the depth of 67 feet in the sand the second pay streak was struck and everyone went wild with delight, as the famous lake of oil was struck and the spouter started at a 100 barrel an hour gait, and kept it up for several hours. The following day it dropped off considerably as all gushers do, and kept up a 50 barrel an hour gait. This is a phenomenal producer and shows that the oil is formed in pockets or small lakes. But their staying qualities are not of the best. Such proved the case with the most sensational wells of the day, for instance, the McMurray, Hollister, Kirkbride, Baker and Delaware addition producer. These wells all paid for themselves with the first twenty-four hours production, therefore the owners were no heavy losers. The Reese well will cause more new activity to start in the vicinity of the gusher.

NATURAL GAS.

The New York *Sun* of recent date says that an experiment of some importance is being made with a view to determine, if possible, the origin of natural gas, irrespective of theories hitherto prevalent. For this purpose dried sea weed was steeped in water which had been freed from air, and on the third day gas appeared, continuing to be involved in diminishing quantity until the tenth day, when some 803 cubic centimeters more had been collected. The evolution had evidently ceased, though after standing two years and a half 30 cubic centimeters more gas collected in the apparatus; the second gas differed from the first, consisting, it is recorded, almost entirely of methane—the chief constituent of natural gas—from which it is inferred that this slow secondary decomposition of vegetable matter has some relation to the origin of natural gas.

OIL NOTES.

The Sanford well is pumping about thirty barrels.

The Buckeye Pipe Line runs May 22nd were 57,149.65.

There was a decline of two and a half cents per barrel in the eastern oil market to-day, but no change in Lima oil.

The Gengler Oil Co. has contracted with A. A. Scott & Co., of Lima, to drill two wells on their leases near Landeck.—*Delphos Herald.*

Frank O'Dell and Robert Lackey came down from Findlay this morning to look after new well on the Tapscott farm, due in the sand today.

The new well on H. C. Napier's lot back of of his flour and feed establishment, on east Kibby street, was drilled in yesterday and was shot with forty quarts of glycerine about 4 o'clock. The well made a fair showing and it is thought will do twenty-five barrels when they begin pumping. Tanks are being put up and pumping will commence as soon as possible.

Use Mohr's Stomach and Lung Bitters, the best.

WANTED.

FOR RENT—Or for sale on reasonable terms, 2 story brick house with 13 rooms, two of those are business rooms, corner of Wayne and Union. Call at T. P. Kevill's grocery, east Wayne st., corner Wayne and Union. 88-3t*

FOR SALE—I have for sale cheap at Colvin's livery barn, a heavy dapple gray draft team. F. J. BANTA. 88 3t

FOR SALE—Awning and fixtures of confection and ice cream parlor. Very cheap if sold soon. Address Geo. Wilson, P. O. box 621. 87 3t*

WANTED—Roomers and boarders at 126 east High street. Front rooms nicely and neatly furnished. tf

FOR SALE—Choice of 20 lots near e. Kibby street school house, at low price and very easy terms. Will advance money to build with if required. Also west Market st. lot, 75x217, on easy terms. Call on N. L. Michael. 5-21-1m

DR. KERR'S office is 129 east High street, second floor, Lima, O.

Mrs. Kemper's

Dressmaking establishment in the Baxter block is headquarters for the World's Fair Premium Tailor System, which will be taught to those wishing to learn the same. Satisfaction guaranteed. 114-t

A PERPLEXING QUESTION

Has Been Solved by Ex-Congressman Harter.

AT LEAST HERE IS HIS IDEA

Of How to Relieve the Government Financially.

HE WOULD INCREASE THE TAX

On Tobacco, Beer, Whisky Tea and Coffee So as to Increase the Revenues From These sources $90,000,000, and Then Instead of Having a Deficiency Uncle Sam Would Have a Wad of $40,000,000 Stowed Away in His Inside Pocket For a Rainy Day, and That, Too, Without Increasing the Burdens of the People.

MANSFIELD, O., May 25.—Hon. Michael D. Harter gave his views at great length yesterday on the issues which confront the people in view of the recent decision in the income tax cases. He has a plan for the raising of revenue which he thinks will save the financial department of the government from embarrassment.

"The tax on all kinds, or nearly all kinds of tobacco, should be increased to where the result would be an increase of revenue from this source of not less than $15,000,000. The tax on beer should be increased to $30,000,000, which would not result in any decrease in the size of the glass or increase in the cost to the drinker. The whisky tax, already high, should be enlarged enough to add to the revenue from this source about $15,000,000. Tea and coffee should be taxed enough to cost the consumer about 1 mill per cup more, or 1 cent for each 10 cups, which tax would bring in about $30,000,000 in ordinary years.

"Here you have an increase in the income of the United States of $90,000,000 without putting a noticeable burden upon anybody. With this simple legislation our deficiency would be transferred into a wholesome surplus of $40,000,000, and no calling or industry would suffer, and no individual citizen would have any just ground for complaint.

"It is but fair to say that if the McKinley bill had not placed sugar on the free list and granted an outrageous bounty to the growers of sugar, for the sake of increasing the already scandalously high discriminating tariff taxes, which go into private pockets instead of the public treasury, we would in the past four years have had $240,000,000 more revenue, and instead of an increased debt, approximating $160,000,000 on June 30, 1895, would have shown about $80,000,000 surplus and a gold reserve of about $170,000,000 with no increase of public liabilities. In other words, but for the wretched measure known as the McKinley bill, Mr. Cleveland would be buying in and cancelling instead of selling United States bonds. Mr. Cleveland's course in the sale of bonds was forced upon him, and the skill and sound sense he has displayed in the matter are deserving of the highest praise.

"I feel that the party, if any, which boldly declares for free coinage at 16 to 1 would do well to buy a coffin and order a shroud. However, with all the noise and uproar, the net result will, I fear, be a couple of sneaking, dodging platforms, facing both ways, a kind of political trap to catch the vote. If either party has the courage and intelligence to adopt a fair, square, unmistakable plank which will demand a dollar for the workingman worth at all times and everywhere 100 cents, gold, it will have a walkover in 1896."

FITZ DIDN'T SHOW UP.

It Now Looks as Though the Australian Would Like to Crawl Out.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Bob Fitzsimmons, the pugilist, did not appear yesterday in the Coleman House, where he was to attend the meeting to which he and James J. Corbett had been summoned by Joseph H. Vendig, representing the Florida Athletic club, under whose auspices the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight was arranged to take place.

When Corbett found that Fitzsimmons did not intend to appear, and that he had not paid the $5,000 deposit guaranteeing his appearance in the ring, Corbett said:

"I am here and willing to fight in any part of the United States. My money is up and I want no bluffing. I am ready to go into training at Asbury Park tomorrow. When I engaged in the theatrical business Fitzsimmons was blowing that I would not fight him. Now he has broken his part of the agreement, and if he wants to be the world's champion he must fight or quit the ring. He and I have received $1,000 each from the club for training expenses."

Turning to Vendig he said:

"I recognize you as a true sport to put up that amount of money. I want the fight to take place in Dallas. If we can not fight in this country I will name the place. Fitzsimmons boasted in Chicago that he would pummel my nose if the fight did not come off, but denied having used the expression when I asked him about it.

"Now I want to go on record as saying that if this fight is called off I will poke his nose at first sight. In order to be considerate with him, and that he may live up to the articles of the agreement, I will give him until tomorrow to comply with the terms, and will meet him at any place at his own convenience."

Fitzsimmons was first notified of the meeting last Wednesday.

Debarred From the Mails.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Fraud orders have been issued against the following persons and corporations, debarring them from the use of the mails: Charles Adams and Ella Moore of Mishawaka, Ind., for fraudulent patent medicine circulars; the Central American Fur and Wool company, Benjamin Bernard, manager, Indianapolis, for obtaining money under false pretenses. The firm advertises for hides, skins, etc., and then, it is alleged, does not pay for them.

Murdered Child Found.

CIRCLEVILLE, O., May 25.—The dead body of an infant boy was found in the graveyard by a lot of school children. The child, which, from all appearances, was of wealthy parentage, had evidently been murdered. The police have a very strong clew.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

Bonds Issued Without Authority of the People Are Worthless.

CLEVELAND, May 25.—Judge Ricks of the United States court has decided that municipal bonds issued on the authority of special legislation and not authorized by a popular vote of the people are worthless.

The decision establishes an important precedent and indirectly affects millions of dollars' worth of municipal bonds. It was rendered in a case in which the German-American Investment company of New York had sued to recover from the city of Youngstown $3,500 deposited on a bond.

Another phase of the case is the possibility of such bonds being redeemed. Such redemption could be restrained by any taxpayer on the ground that the act by which they were issued was unconstitutional.

RIVAL DEDICATIONS.

Confederate and Union in Chicago on Memorial Day.

CHICAGO, May 25.—The Confederate monument dedication at Oakwoods cemetery, Memorial day, about which such a tempest has been raised, will not be the only war monument dedicated in Chicago that day. What may be in a sense a rival demonstration will, it was announced yesterday, take place in the northern part of the city, while by a curious coincidence the Oakwoods dedication is in progress in the southern part. George H. Thomas post. No. 5, department of Illinois, Grand Army, of the city of Chicago, will dedicate a monument in a lot owned by that organization in Rose Hill cemetery.

The monument in itself is something out of the usual order. It is formed of a single block of granite, about five feet square and 12 feet high, just as it was blasted from the quarry, save that on a polished shield on one of its sides is carved:

George H. Thomas Post, No. 5, Department of Illinois, Grand Army of the Republic,

and represents, in fact, the hero after whom this post was named, George H. Thomas, "The Rock of Chickamauga." The stone weighs 33,000 pounds, and as it rests on its base is the finest monument of the kind in the cemetery.

The address at the dedication will be delivered by General John C. Black, ex-commissioner of pensions under President Cleveland, and in view of the wide comment on the Oakwoods affair much interest is felt in what he may take occasion to say.

George H. Thomas post for several years has been the largest post of the Grand Army. Its present membership is about 1,200. Its members come from regiments and batteries sent out from 28 different states and territories, and include some one or more comrades who served in every noted command during the war. Among the notables who are and have been members are: General P. H. Sheridan, General Nelson A. Miles, General A. L. Chetlain, General John C. Black, W. C. Newberry, General M. D. Hardin, General James Stockton and Director General George R. Davis of the world's fair.

MRS. MACK EXTRADITED.

She Will Be Tried For Forging Postage Stamps.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The state department has received information of the extradition of Mrs. N. P. Mack, wanted in this country for the manufacture of counterfeit stamps. Mrs. Mack lived in Hamilton, Ont., and the secret service officers of the government, it is alleged, traced to her the manufacture of a large number of stamps found to be counterfeit.

Application was made to the state department for extradition papers, but it was found that the new extradition law in cases of counterfeit money did not specify stamps. It was then suggested that under the old treaty there was a provision that is still in force providing for extradition in case of forgery, and that the counterfeiting of stamps might be considered fabrication.

The Canadian authorities apparently so considered it. Mrs. Mack has been taken to Buffalo where she will be tried for forgery. It is possible that the United States courts will not consider the counterfeiting of stamps a forgery, and Mrs. Mack can not be tried on any other charge than that upon which she was extradited.

FUNERAL POSTPONED

Because the Child Suddenly Came Back to Life.

VINELAND, N. J., May 25.—The infant child of Louis Erdner was taken seriously ill at Pitt's Grove and a physician was called, who attended to the little one until he pronounced it dead. They laid the child on a stretcher and after covering the tiny form with a sheet sent for Undertaker Frank Evans. When the undertaker called with his icebox and a coffin he found the mother and father smiling and happy, and the child, who was supposed to be dead, was playing on the floor.

Million Dollar Suit Begun.

PITTSBURG, May 25.—The famous $1,000,000 suit of Samuel W. Parker et al. against the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad company and the Pennsylvania company was taken up in the United States circuit court before Judge Acheson. The suit is to recover the property on which the buildings of the defendant companys, in and around Penn avenue and Eleventh street, this city, stands.

Says They Are Groundless.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Senor Calvo, the Costa Rican representative here, says that the reports of probable war between Costa Rica and Nicaragua are groundless, according to advices received by him. He says the boundary question is the only one on which the governments differ. This, he says, is a subject of peaceful, diplomatic adjustment.

Iron Mill on Full Time.

PORTSMOUTH, O., May 25.—The Burgess steel and iron mill is now working on full turn in both steel and rod departments. Large orders for steel for agricultural implements indicate activity in that branch of manufacture. The mill had been running on half time since the fall of 1894.

SUDDEN RISE IN WHEAT

Not Justified According to Dun's Review of Trade.

THE CROP HAS BEEN INJURED,

But Not to the Extent One Might Believe Judging From the Sudden Jump—Great Improvement in the Iron Industry—Increased Wages Being Paid—Has an Era of Prosperity Struck Us?

NEW YORK, May 25.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says:

If wheat has been so greatly injured by the snows and frosts in May that the sudden rise of 12 cents in two weeks is justified, the calamity will affect all business prospects. The markets do not believe it, for stocks do not collapse, iron, leather and hides still rise, and no holders of wheat would sell at 80 cents, a lower price than had been known at this season for 30 years prior to 1893, if current reports were credited.

Some injury has undoubtedly been sustained, but our dispatches do not show that it is really serious. The temper is to buy, regardless of visible requirements, in the faith that prices are sure to rise. Western receipts of wheat for three weeks have been larger than last year in spite of the storms and frosts. But the rise has practically stopped buying for export, as the similar rise did in April, 1884, which was followed by about the lowest prices then ever known. Whether grain has been greatly injured or not foreign markets will take early occasion to fortify themselves from other sources.

The week's sales here have amounted to 155,000,000 bushels, and accounts of damage by frost and by insects are so mixed up that some traders infer the bugs must wear overcoats.

Cotton also advanced three-eighths during the week, with sales of 1,500,000 bales, current estimates putting the decrease in acreage at 13.5 per cent, and the crop at 7,350,000. Even this, with known commercial and spinners' stocks, would give the world for the year and a quarter to come more American cotton than it has ever consumed in a year and a half.

The iron industry distinctly gains and the improvement is no longer confined to prices of materials. Better wages at and west of Pittsburg convince buyers that prices must rise.

The Thomas company has advanced its anthracite pig 50 cents, and higher freights made southern cost more at the east. Sales of rails to May 1 were 420,000 tons, and deliveries 250,000, both larger than last year. Nail works are combining, and a coke pool is expected to raise prices.

In Pittsburg banknote withdrawals for payrolls in the past month were $2,383,397, against $1,865,818 last year by the same works.

Orders this year number 22,029 freight and 72 passenger cars, 5,000 more than in the year 1894, but in 1893 and previous years the output was over 93,000 freightcars.

Failures this week have been 207 in the United States against 183 last year, and 23 in Canada against 28 last year.

"LUCKY" BALDWIN'S CLAIM.

Says Gamblers Control the Racetracks of the Country.

CINCINNATI, May 25.—"Lucky" Baldwin of California is at the Grand. He speaks right out about gamblers owning racetracks and shaping races to suit the purposes of gamblers. He says they make short scrambles, whereas no horse over two years old should run less distance than a mile. This sort of business prevails in San Francisco, in Louisville, in Chicago and at Latonia, all of which places gamblers dominate.

He predicts that the state legislatures will wipe out bookmaking, and that very soon. He considers Halma and Rey El Ceredes the great 3-year-olds this year, and intends to see that his Rey El Ceredes shall try conclusions with Halma next June.

Think Bushnell Wants It.

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 25.—The manner in which General Asa Bushnell appeared in the senatorial convention is claimed by politicians that he wants the gubernatorial nomination. Bushnell was shaking hands with everybody, and his son-in-law, Hon. J. Frank McGrew, was also looking out for his interests.

Attempt to Outrage a Girl.

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 25.—The police arrested two colored men suspected of attempting to outrage Martha Cassells, 18, but both, when brought before the young lady, proved to be the wrong fellows. Every effort is being made to capture the brute. Miss Cassells is prostrated over the affair.

Walked Out of Jail.

WEST UNION, O., May 25.—George Hahn, the forger and the first prisoner confined in Adams county's new jail, recently constructed at a cost of $20,000, drew the pins from the hinges of three massive doors Thursday night and walked out of the building a free man. He is still at large.

Tramps Killed in a Wreck.

DANVILLE, Ky., May 25.—In a Cincinnati Southern freight wreck, caused by a broken axle, near this city, Stanley Davis, from Chattanooga, and D. R. Stokes, negro, from Georgia, both tramps, were killed. Five other tramps were slightly wounded.

Byrnes to Be Removed.

NEW YORK, May 25.—An afternoon paper makes the statement that the police board has determined to remove Superintendent Byrnes and Inspector Williams, and to institute a thorough organization of the police department.

Going to Gettysburg.

WASHINGTON, May 25. — Secretary Herbert, accompanied by Colonel Casell, General Franklin, General W. T. Smith and George Hyde will leave here this morning for a trip over the battlefield of Gettysburg.

Russian Thistle Pest.

DENVER, May 25.—The Russian thistle has gained a firm foothold throughout eastern Colorado. Thousands of acres in and about Denver are covered with the pest.

CATHOLIC SALVATION ARMY.

A Movement of Great Importance to Be Started in Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, May 25.—Catholic missionary workers are about to start a movement of the greatest importance among the masses of population in this city. It might be called a Catholic Salvation Army movement, except that some of the odd features of the Salvation Army will be omitted. The missionaries have the indorsement of Bishop Horstmann of this diocese to the plan of street work and meetings will soon be begun on the street corners and curbs. An organization will be formed and as soon as practical will be made national and extended to all the great cities of the country. So enthusiastic are the local Catholic clergy that several will resign from their parishes to engage in the street work.

He Smoked Cigarettes.

TIFFIN, O., May 25.—John Wullenschneider of Fostoria was adjudged insane by Judge Kiskadden and taken to the Toledo asylum by his father, Joseph Wullenschneider. The young man is afflicted with acute violent mania and his case is considered hopeless. It will be remembered that this is the case where it was thought that he had the hydrophobia, and reports were circulated widespread that such was the case, but the attending physician states that there is no symptoms of that disease, but that it was insanity caused by excessive use of cigarettes, young Wullenschneider smoking 40 a day.

High School Class Rebels.

ZANESVILLE, O., May 25.—A number of the members of the graduating class of the high school are in open rebellion against the board of education. It has been usual for the board to buy invitations to the commencement exercises, which are sent out by the members of the class. This year the members chose invitations which were more expensive than usual, and the board declined to buy them. Now a part of the class threatens to remain away from the exercises. Among them are four speakers. The board is not alarmed over the situation.

Interest in the Elliott Trial.

LANCASTER, O., May 25.—Interest in the approaching Elliott trial grows apace, Assistant State's Counsel Reeves having received and deposited with the county treasurer the first installment of $1,000 for costs from the Franklin county commissioners. Captain Lew Palmer, Henry Snyder and Patrick Gordon have been sworn in as special deputies, one of whom will be kept in Columbus during the trial for the ready service of subpoenas.

He Is Sorry Now.

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 25.—Judge C. E. Morris, forger and embezzler, of the Citizens' Building and Loan association, was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary. Morris put up an affecting plea. He cried: "For the sake of my family I ask the leniency of the court. I am sorry for what I did and for my creditors. I intend to pay every cent I owe." He got one year for each of six indictments.

Liquor Near Fairs.

COLUMBUS, O., May 25.—The supreme court has adjourned to June 4, one of its last acts being to allow a motion for leave to file a petition in error to the circuit court of Brown county in the suit brought by Lewis P. Theis against the state to test the constitutionality of the law prohibiting the sale of liquors within two miles of a county agricultural fair grounds.

Politician Adjudged Insane.

ELYRIA, O., May 25.—Adam Kishman, one of the most prominent citizens of Brownhelm, this county, and a well known Democratic politician, was yesterday adjudged insane and was taken to the asylum at Toledo. He has held offices of trust and is quite wealthy. He is a victim of melancholia and believes that he is bankrupt, though never more prosperous than now.

Boy's Head Mashed In.

WAVERLY, O., May 25.—George, the little 10-year-old son of Deputy Sheriff Buteman, while playing with other boys among the Ohio Southern cars in the gravel pit, was struck on the head with one of the dump levers and the top of his head mashed in. The wound is believed to be fatal.

Afraid of Smallpox.

PORTSMOUTH, O., May 25.—The local authorities are determined to break up the shanty boat nuisance, and five of them were fined and compelled to move on down the river. It is feared that they may bring the smallpox or other infectious diseases.

Damage to Berry Crop.

CALDWELL, O., May 25.—Heavy frosts the past few evenings have had a telling effect upon the crops, fruit, etc. The berry crop, according to one of the leading growers, will be very short and small in size, not having the rich taste.

Killed by a Derrick Chain.

PORTSMOUTH, O., May 25.—Thomas Graham, foreman of Carey's freestone quarries, who was struck on the head by a swinging derrick chain last Tuesday, died from his injuries yesterday. He leaves a wife and five children.

Suit For Damages.

NEWARK, O., May 25.—John Hirschline's widow began suit for $10,000 against Contractor George C. Wilson and the city of Newark. Hirschline was killed by the North Third street sewer cave-in, hence the suit.

Used Cancelled Stamps.

NEW LEXINGTON, O., May 25.—John Friel, living about four miles southeast of this place, has been arrested by a deputy United States marshal for using cancelled postage stamps. He acknowledged his guilt.

Miners Soliciting Aid.

ZANESVILLE, O., May 25.—A committee of Cannelville miners called at this city to solicit funds for the sustenance of their brothers. They say that they are in a starving condition and need help.

Good Haul by Thieves.

CANAL DOVER, O., May 25.—Thursday night the store of Stouffer & Company was broken into and robbed of clothing, shoes, etc. Loss estimated at $1,200.

TOOK THIRTEEN INNINGS.

Pirates Down the Bean Eaters in a Red-hot Game.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Pittsburg	19	5	.704
Cincinnati	18	10	.643
Chicago	18	10	.643
Cleveland	18	10	.643
Philadelphia	13	11	.541
Boston	12	11	.522
New York	12	12	.500
Baltimore	10	10	.500
St. Louis	11	17	.393
Brooklyn	8	16	.333
Washington	7	17	.291
Louisville	5	18	.217

Pittsburg, 5; Boston, 4.

PITTSBURG, May 25.—Thirteen innings of fine pitching and brilliant fielding marked the game. The winning run was made by Stenzel's two bagger, Beckley's sacrifice and a passed ball, which touched the umpire.

		R.	H.	E.
Pitt'b'g	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 1 0 0 0 1	5	10	1
Boston	1 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	4	9	1

Batteries—Hart and Sugden; Stivett and Ryan. Umpire—Keefe.

Cleveland, 14; New York, 11.

CLEVELAND, May 25.—New York and Cleveland had an old-time slugging match, with plenty of errors, excitement and fun. Both clubs used two pitchers. Attendance, 2,000.

		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	3 5 0 0 0 2 3 1 *	14	18	4
New York	2 0 1 2 1 1 1 0 3	11	15	3

Batteries—Wallace, Sullivan and O'Connor, German, Boswell and Wilson. Umpire—Emslie.

Cincinnati, 13; Philadelphia, 14.

CINCINNATI, May 25.—After tieing the score by heavy batting when six runs behind in the ninth inning, the Reds were beaten out in the tenth by a single and a double. Two were out when the wining run was made.

		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0 0 4 0 3 0 0 0 6 0	13	15	3
Philadelphia	1 0 6 1 0 5 0 0 0 1	14	14	7

Batteries—Vaughn, Phillips and Parrott, McGill and Buckley. Umpire—McDonald.

St. Louis, 4; Washington, 8.

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—Although the Browns hit Maul freely the close fielding of the Senators kept them from scoring, and numerous errors by Miller enabled the visitors to pile up the runs and win the game.

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 1	4	11	9
Washington	0 4 0 0 1 0 3 0 0	8	10	3

Batteries—Breitenstein, Staley, Peitz and Miller, Maul and McGuire. Umpire—Battin.

No Sunday Baseball.

ST. PAUL, May 25.—Judge Otis of the district court has issued a permanent injunction against Sunday baseball games in the present park. This does not affect other parts of the city. Captain Comiskey is quoted as saying that he will move his ball club to some other city if not allowed to play Sunday games in St Paul.

Interstate League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Wheeling	12	7	.631
Twin Cities	11	7	.611
Findlay	11	7	.611
Columbus	10	8	.555
Lima	10	8	.555
Canton	6	10	.377
Mansfield	5	13	.277
Kenton	5	12	.295

Mansfield, 16; Canton, 9.

MANSFIELD, O., May 25.—At the end of nine innings the score of the game with Canton was a tie—7 to 7. In the tenth the home club pounded the ball for nine runs, while the visitors scored but twice, making the score 16 to 9. The game was very exciting.

Other Games.

At Findlay—Findlay, 9; Twin Cities, 7.
At Kenton—Kenton, 6; Wheeling, 4.

Louisville Bicycle Races.

LOUISVILLE, May 25.—The first day's bicycle racing at Fountain Ferry park yesterday was witnessed by about 2,000 people. The weather was fine and although no records were broken the sport was good. The races will continue today. The following is a summary of the principal events:

Mile novice—Davis Worth won; Twyman, second; Leathers, third. Time, 2:28.

Class B, one mile handicap—Barnett (75 yards), won; Con Baker (75 yards), second; Hamilton (60 yards), third. Time, 2:05.

Class B, half mile—Gardiner won; Coburn, second; Decardy, third. Time, 1:07 3-5.

Class A, one mile handicap—Hand (scratch), won; Nowling (60 yards) second; Thome (60 yards), third. Time, 2:14 3-4.

Class B, one mile—Cabanne won; Titus, second; Baker, third. Time, 2:06 45, paced by a tandem.

Western League.

At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 16; Milwaukee, 2.
At Toledo—Toledo, 11; Kansas City, 8.
At Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids, 17; Minneapolis, 16.
At Detroit—Detroit, 0; St. Paul, 5.

Turf Winners.

At Latonia—Judith, Elizbert, Florrie, Joe Mack, Rewarder.

At St. Louis—Pinkey Pomer, Faraday, McHenry, Linda, Sull Ross.

At Roby—Little Mac, Security, Lawmaker, Bimbo, Sundawn.

Sold Liquor Wrongfully.

LANCASTER, Ky., May 25.—Grant Bright was fined $175 and costs in police court for selling liquor unlawfully. Six of the 10 indictments against him were filed away. Bright will be put on the rock pile to work out the fine at 50 cents per day.

Gordon Not Indicted.

LOUISVILLE, May 25.—The Jefferson county grand jury has refused to indict Fulton Gordon for the double killing of his wife and Arch Brown, son of Kentucky's governor, whom Gordon found in a bedroom together four weeks ago.

William Rufus took his nickname from his red hair; but as though in mockery of its color, he all wed his beard, also fiery red, to grow to an inordinate length.

Garrick had an exceedingly flexible voice and could mimic any one he ever heard speak.

The earliest form of the glove was a mere bag for the hand.

MAGIC MADSTONES.

WONDERFUL LIFE SAVING PEBBLES OWNED IN VIRGINIA.

They Were Brought From an East Indian Island by Captain Smith In 1804—His Grandson Tells the Story—Relates Instances of Marvelous Cures.

Stories about madstones have time and again been described in books. But the madstone in real life is a natural wonder, rare enough to cause most people to doubt its existence. The authenticated cases of its use on people bitten by mad dogs or poisonous snakes are very infrequent. Essex and Loudon counties, in Virginia, however, appear to hold the record for madstones, both in the number of instances in which they have successfully been applied and in the number of the madstones possessed by its citizens.

A most interesting account of these Virginia madstones is told by Mr. Edward Tyler of Aldie, Loudon county, Va. A correspondent who called on Mr. Tyler found him at his sawmill among the Bull Run mountains. In giving the history of the madstones he said:

"My grandfather on my mother's side, Captain James Smith, was a Scotchman by birth, and came to Virginia in 1785, at 20 years of age, and settled in Richmond. Captain Smith was accustomed to take long sea voyages—going sometimes to Australia and other East Indian islands. During one of these trips, in the year 1804, for government interest, he stopped on one of the small islands for several days. There for the first time he saw what is known as a madstone. The natives, who were very friendly and fond of trading, came to him while he was along there and offered to sell him some little bluish stones, and when he asked them by signs of what use they were the natives began at once to show him by actual test.

"They produced a most horrid looking scorpion, which one of them had confined in a wicker cage, and then they let the reptile bite a cat. Captain Smith was disgusted with such cruelty, but said nothing and watched the result. The poor creature began to show signs of distress at once, and in a very few moments died in agony. The natives then called upon one from among their number and made him run his bare arm into the cage in which the scorpion was confined.

"With horror did Captain Smith see this poisonous reptile fasten its fangs in the fleshy portion of the man's arm. He quickly withdrew it, and very hastily one of these little stones was applied to the wound, and it adhered to it as if it had been a plaster. After a few moments had elapsed the stone fell off, and the native who had been bitten seemed to feel no pain and certainly manifested not the slightest inconvenience or indicated any fear. Captain Smith at once recognized that there must be some specific virtue in a stone which could accomplish such a wonderful result.

"He asked the islanders where they got the stones. They informed him that were they to tell they would, according to the law of the island, be punished with death. Being satisfied that the other stones which they had for sale were like the one used for the scorpion's bite, Captain Smith purchased 18 or 20 of these magic pebbles and carefully stored them away. When he had returned to Richmond, he gave several of them to his friends, who were members of the legislature of Virginia, and reserved the remainder for the members of his family.

"Yes, I have one and will step to the house and bring it to you. I would not take anything in reason for it, as I have perfect confidence in its powers."

The stone with which Mr. Tyler returned was a little flinty looking stone, about an inch and a half long and a half or three-quarters of an inch thick, irregular in shape, of a dark green or bluish color, and altogether very insignificant in appearance. One would scarcely pick it up in the street unless he were a trained lapidary or an expert geologist.

"Now," said Mr Tyler, "let me tell you of my experience connected with this little stone in case of dog bites, snake bites and all, and then you can judge for yourself whether the dogs were mad and the snakes poisonous. In 1872 Jerry Jackson, a colored man, and now strong and healthy, was bitten by a copperhead snake on the fleshy part of his arm. Nine hours after he had received the bite I saw him. His arm was frightful to look at. It was swollen to the shoulder and still swelling so fast one could perceive it grow larger.

"I scratched the wound with my pen knife until it bled and then applied the stone. It stuck immediately, and in a very short time you could see that his arm was reducing in size. Now, as soon as the stone becomes charged with poison it drops off. You then put it in milk warm water, and it discharges all of the poisonous matter, and you can see the process. Little green bubbles rise slowly and burst as soon as they reach the surface.

"I had to cleanse the stone several times during the course of its application to Jerry's arm, and each time I could see the swelling was becoming less and less. Finally his arm was its natural size, but his hand was yet swollen. The stone continued to stick, and not until every particle of the swelling was reduced did it relinquish its hold. I was, I suppose, about eight hours working on him. He has never felt the slightest pain since. You can question him if you like.

"A colored woman was bitten by a mad dog a few years ago, and on the day before the same dog bit a merchant living near by. The merchant had the stone applied and got well; the woman did not use the stone, and in nine days died from hydrophobia.

"A colored boy in this county was bitten by a rattlesnake, and I applied the madstone, and the boy got entirely well. There are many other well authenticated cases which I could cite."—New York World.

Posted on Politics.

Lord Dufferin once addressed the University of Toronto in Greek, and on the following day the Canadian journals announced that his command of the language was astounding, idiomatic and grammatically perfect. Whereon the following dialogue ensued:

"How did those idiots of reporters know that?" asked Sir Hector Langevin of Sir John Macdonald.

"Because I told them," replied Sir John.

"But who told you? You don't know Greek," persisted Sir Hector.

"I don't know Greek," admitted the premier, with his usual gravity, "but I know politics."—San Francisco Argonaut.

Realism.

He (resuming his seat after a brief visit outside)—What an atmosphere of realism there is about this play!

She—Yes. Smells like cloves.—Chicago Tribune.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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Wyoming's Senatorial Twins.

The new senatorial pair from Wyoming have already been christened "The Heavenly Twins," not that Messrs. Warren and Clarke are expected to furnish explosive denouements on the Angelica-Diavolo order, but because of their good looks and other personal attributes.

Warren, who is a returning senator after a brief rest, was one of the tallest and largest men in the upper house when here before, and always was pointed out by strangers as a handsome man whom they wanted to know about at once.

Clarke, who has already put in an appearance, bids fair to prove a good investment for the photographers. Already there is the usual demand for his picture that determines the handsomest men in congress.

He is so good looking that in his own state he is often called the Apollo of Wyoming. This will be the handsomest senatorial pair.—Kate Field's Washington.

Dueling Pistols.

The pistol used in the duel is not the military arm, nor the revolver, but a very carefully made and wonderfully accurate weapon known as the dueling pistol. For many years the length of this arm was a matter of grave discussion at all the clubs in England and on the continent. At first the dueling pistol had a 12 inch barrel and carried 20 round bullets to the pound. But in 1816 the elder Devisure, with his confrere, Lepage, at Paris, and Manton and Egg of London, the most eminent pistol makers of their respective countries, fixed the actual length of the dueling pistol barrel at nine inches, and there it has remained for 85 years. A case of the best pistols costs from 500 to 750 francs, or $100 to $150.

The Truth of the Matter.

The Bookman tells a story of Mr. F. Cope Whitehouse, who recently spent five years in Europe. He had been long in conflict with both British and Egyptian authorities on the question of irrigating a certain district and found them almost equally conservative. After a time he met Lord Cromer, just arrived in the country, and was received with a chilling coolness.

"I really cannot go into these matters with you," said Lord Cromer, "because I hear that you treated my predecessor with great discourtesy."

"Discourtesy? Discourtesy of what nature?"

"Oh, I am informed that you accused him of er—in fact, that you insinuated he was untruthful."

"I? Oh, dear me, no! Not at all. The truth of the matter was just this: I had to characterize his attitude in some way. Now, you see, I couldn't speak of his simplicity, because it would not be exactly complimentary. Of course I couldn't speak of his multiplicity, because that wouldn't be true, you know. So naturally I had to call it duplicity, don't you see? It really was forced upon me, you understand."

Old Time Football.

Football has never been a very gentle game, to judge from what Master Stubbes says about it in his "Anatomie of Abuses," published in 1583:

For, as concerning football playing, I protest unto you it may rather be called a friendly kinde of fight than a play of recreation, a bloody and murthering practice than a sport or pastime, for dooth not every one lye in waight for his adversarie, seeking to overthrow him and to picke him on his nose, though it be on hard stones, so that by this meanes sometimes their necks are broken, sometimes their backs, sometimes their legs, sometimes their armes, sometimes one part thrust out of joynt, sometimes another; sometimes the noses gush out with blood; sometimes their eyes start out.

Too Late.

Mistress (a widow)—Well, Johnson, I'm sorry you are going to leave us, but you're very fortunate in having this money left you. (Pleasantly) I suppose you'll be looking out for a wife now!

Johnson (the butler)—Well, really, ma'am, I feel very much honored by what you propose, but I'm engaged to a young woman already.—London Globe.

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J. W. Remagen has a fine lot of bedding plants which he will put on sale Monday at his store, 133 east High street.

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LOST—In the village of Lafayette, last Monday evening May 20th, a purse containing $45.56. A liberal reward will be given upon the return of the same to the owner, Andrew Bowers, Lafayette, O. 89-6t

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Jo Morris has once more taken control of the Republican party of Allen county. He dictated the nominees for the county ticket at their convention.

Some people have no patience. Several of the firms which won prizes at the World's Fair of 1893 are complaining because the medals are not yet ready for awarding

The evasion of the silver question by the Republican convention last Thursday suggests either ignorance or cowardice on the part of the Republican bosses or Allen county. And either is an abomination in the sight of men.

The reduction in the interest rates charged by the Citizens' Building and Loan Association, to take effect on July first, will be welcomed by the borrowers from these banks of the people. It means a saving of thousands of dollars to them annually.

The Republicans of Marion township were sadily turned down by the bosses of that party at Thursday's convention. They came over with two candidates for commissioner, while German township asked for the Sheriff's nomination. But the bosses of the party had determined that neither German nor Marion should have a representative on the ticket. And they buried first the German township candidate for sheriff and followed that interment with that of Messers Long and Baxter, of Marion township.

There is no likelihood at the present time that there will be any occasion, growing out of the failure of the income tax, for calling Congress together in extra session to provide new means of revenue. There is over $180,000,000 in the treasury, with $15,000,000 yet due on account of payments yet due on the payments on the last issue of bonds. If the expenditures of the government should exceed revenue for the next six months at the present rate of deficit there would still be no difficulty in maintaining the necessary gold reserve and having a comfortable balance on hand when Congress shall meet. The probabilities are altogether favorable to increased receipts from both customs and excises. The talk about an extra session of Congress is only mischievous political gabble.

Small Business.

One wonders sometimes whether to a mind that could take in the true proportions of everything all the prizes humanity strives for in any field would look as puny and contemptible as the desperate strife of some people to get into what they think is "good society" appears to all sane individuals. We read how a man has just completed a million dollar mansion in order that his wife may by that means beg, bribe or steal her way into a certain social circle which prides itself on its exclusiveness. It ought to be allowed to pride itself on that, for heaven knows it has nothing else to pride itself on.

But why people should want to break their necks to get into it and why they should eat their hearts out with envy and disappointment when they can't get into it must forever remain an unsolvable mystery to all people in their right minds. If the struggle were made to gain intellectual or artistic culture, moral worth or the ability to help large numbers of persons to better, happier lives, one could understand it. But to move heaven and earth merely to be acquainted with a set of people often not so handsome, refined or intellectual as one is already "her own self," and not half so clean and white morally as the family of the average butcher, barber or tailor—this, indeed, shows an unparalleled weak spot in the head.

Make your own social center and make it so brilliant, refined and educative that all the world will come to you.

Each congress leaves a souvenir of itself in the shape of a few welcome additions to the American navy. The Fifty-third ordered 11 new vessels. Two were seagoing coast line battleships of formidable size. There were ordered six gunboats, 1,000 tons each. These will be capable of running up shallow rivers. The gunboats will cost $230,000 each. Three torpedo boats complete the list. They will cost $175,000. The gunboats and torpedo boats would be more useful than the big coast defenders if we could not have both.

HOW TO FIND A BURGLAR.

Here Is a Scheme Which New York Detectives Adopt Sometimes.

Two thieves and two detectives met the other night at Eighth avenue and Fortieth street. The central office men wanted some information about a burglary. They also wanted to know what the thieves were doing, and with what particular band they were training.

They separated the thieves by stepping between them before they had a chance to converse, and they knew one man's record. The other was only known to them as a suspect. Each detective took one of the men aside and asked him full details about the other, his name, address, business, last job and the like.

The thieves were in a dilemma. Neither knew what the other was saying. Each described the other, giving name, address, business and all.

Taking care not to allow the men to get within speaking distance the detectives changed places and each said to his man:

"Tell me who you are, what you do, where you live. I think we want you."

Neither thief knew how his "pal" had described him, and both told an entirely new story, gave a new name, new address, new employment—in fact, each gave his "pal" the lie from the start.

Again the detectives changed places and proceeded to condemn each man out of his own mouth and that of his "pal." Both descriptions given were false, of course, and the men had thus confessed that they had something to conceal.

Having thus "got them right," the central office men asked for a direct "tip" about the burglary they were working on, threatening both thieves with arrest if they didn't tell what they had heard in the thieves' colony, where pretty nearly every one knows who did the last "job."

The men who had told two lies apiece a minute before told the name of a band and the name of a member of that band with great promptness and that night a burglar was arrested.

But the detectives did not tell in court how they placed their hands on him. There is nothing like a little mystery.—New York Herald.

The Coon.

The common American "coon" is a slave to an unusual form of etiquette, which in its case has grown almost beyond the forms of conventional observance and become a kind of conscience to it. It will wash everything which it eats, if there is any water near. The fact seems to have been questioned by some writers, but it is certainly the habit of raccoons when kept in captivity with access to water. They are very fussy, particular creatures, much given to picking up and carrying off anything odd which takes their fancy. And this, whatever it may be, is duly taken to the water and well "rinsed out," whether vegetables or bits of cloth, or even solid hard things, like shells and shiny stones.

No "social pressure" can have been put upon the raccoons at the zoo to make them conform to the laws of the coon etiquette, but they do so all the same, and it is a fact that, last spring, one which had a litter of young ones, to which she was much attached, was suddenly seized with a desire to wash them, and carrying them down one by one to her little stone bath paddled and washed the poor little creatures as if she had been washing cabbages. It may be doubted whether the kittens did not owe their death to this perverted feeling of social duty in their parent, for they did not long survive their immersion.—London Spectator.

The Kodak In Jamaica.

A prominent Philadelphian who has just returned from a trip to Jamaica brings home the following laughable story: The photographer of the party induced a group of native girls to pose for him. After arranging them to his satisfaction, he prevailed upon one of the other girls to take a peep through the camera. What she saw quite astonished her, and she lost no time in imparting to the posers the fact that she had seen them all standing on their heads. The effect was ludicrous. When the photograph was taken, it revealed each maiden frantically clutching her skirts about her knees, while a look of great distress appeared upon each black countenance.—Philadelphia Record.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at Melvill's Drug Store.

Abridged History of a Courtship.

Met him—met him again—in love with him. Met him again—no longer in love with him, but he is in love with me because I am so beautiful. Met him again—he is still in love with me, not only because I am so beautiful, but because I am also good. Sorry for him. Again I met him—he is colder than he was. Think he has forgotten my beauty and my goodness. I, however, am inclined to think that I am in love with him after all. How lucky he is, and how angry mamma will be. Mamma proved to be strangely pleased. Makes me angry, for I know she is not a good judge of a young girl's heart. Flirted with him outrageously to make mamma angry—didn't succeed. Engaged to him—glad. Married to him—sorry.—Philadelphia Times.

An Ohio Father's Baby

"My wife received a sample bottle of Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. For four months she hardly took her clothes off, baby cried so. The sample of Dr. Hand's Colic Cure worked like magic. I went right to the drug store and bought a 25c bottle of Dr. Hand's Pleasant Physic, and we are truly grateful that such relief has come to baby and to us."—Respectfully, Geo M. Vaught, Delaware, Ohio. Sold at all drug stores, 25c.

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THE DAFFODILS.

And then my heart with pleasure fills
And dances with the daffodils.
—Wordsworth.

Oh, the laughter of the lilies in the sun!
Purer joy and deeper gladness there is none;
When they hear my lady's feet,
As she hastes the sun to greet,
How they shake with golden laughter every one!
Oh, the laughing—oh, the dancing daffodils!
Shaking in the breeze
Under budding trees
By the lake that lies below the silent hills.

Oh, the trooping of the lilies on the sward
Golden trumpet, saffron sdrcoat, spear and sword;
Knight and squire with waving crest,
Waiting for my lady's hest,
To achieve some daring deed she may applaud.
Oh, the laughter—oh, the dancing daffodils!
Shaking in the breeze
Under budding trees
By the lake that lies below the silent hills.

Oh, the silence of the lilies as they pray,
When the night mist steals up softly from the bay,
And my lady's name is there,
In the solemn vesper prayer,
As the twilight on the hillside dies away!
Oh, the laughing—oh, the dancing daffodils.
Shaking in the breeze
Under budding trees
By the lake that lies below the silent hills.
—T. Bruce Dilks in Temple Bar.

THE SPIDER'S WEB.

Rosy complexioned and in her fresh spring toilet, she was truly beautiful. Under her long silky lashes her azure eyes had a soft caressing light that illumined her face with kindliness. The form, though somewhat slender, was well modeled, and the lines of the neck set off all the attractiveness of a head encircled by a profusion of blond locks.

This was the beautiful and graceful Paoletta, Giorgio's young wife. In a carriage the newly wedded pair were proceeding rapidly along the sun filled river bank, thinking of some way of employing the day.

The carriage paused to allow them to admire the flowers upon a spur of the incline, where the vines, like wild nests, stretched from distance to distance, half concealed by the trees.

"Do you wish to go up there?" asked Paoletta.

She pointed with her delicate hand, from which she had drawn her glove, to the heights of Bellevue.

"For what?" Giorgio asked.

"We might see a house that would suit us—you know we ought to be looking for one," said Paoletta. "We can inquire at the inn."

Giorgio hesitated.

"What of our journey to St. Cloud?" he asked.

"Let it be postponed for awhile."

He did not answer immediately. Finally he said half reluctantly: "As you will. It really makes no difference where we live so long as we are together."

She looked at him brightly, and they descended from the carriage and took their way toward the bank of the Seine. The inn was deserted.

"Let us mount into that little balcony," she said. "There is a fine view from there."

"As you please."

Soon the sun shone less brightly, for a space shone pallid, then vanished. Great clouds heaped themselves up about them, rapid and compact. A strong wind blew, and large drops of water began to fall.

Where should they take refuge?

"There!" said Paoletta.

With her hand she indicated a cottage, upon the threshold of which an old woman stood.

Giorgio suddenly blushed crimson, but accompanied his wife in silence.

"It is for rent; it can be looked over," said the woman, who hoped to find tenants in this handsome young couple.

Giorgio did not respond, but while Paoletta examined the apartments he regarded with interest this slight, boxlike construction, so simply made.

As soon as his wife called him he entered the house. A vision of the past rose in his mind. He saw the garden, the arbor, the honeysuckle and ivy, now nothing more than a mass of green foliage, under which was hidden a little bench covered with moss and gone to decay. A marble dove, blackened by moisture, had been for long years the sole spectator of this devastation.

"It is ten years since the house was left tenantless," prattled the old woman. "The proprietor, who was eccentric, did not wish to let it. But now he is dead, and I have been directed to have a card put up. The necessary repairs will be made."

Paoletta laughed aloud with happy, childlike pleasure.

"Are you willing to rent this house, Giorgio?" she asked.

"The air might be too bracing for you, my dear."

"But not more so than everywhere in the country," put in the old woman. "Besides, the rent is so little—400 francs a year."

"It is very reasonable," said Paoletta. "I shall be delighted to live here. Come, let us visit the rooms. I am charmed with the whole place."

He followed her, examined some apartments decorated with gray paper and red flowers, looked into the dining hall with windows looking upon the Seine, and as he glanced about all the past returned to his memory. No longer was it Paoletta who was before him, but Chiara, the girl he had first loved, and whom he had often seen seated in this little hermitage, to which he had by chance returned.

He had lost her while the cup of love was still full. But he forgot her in time and married the pretty Paoletta, whom he loved. Yet frequently when with her a shadow passed before him—the shadow of a young and lovely woman.

A week later found them settled in the cottage. The outdoor life was a great benefit to Paoletta, who had been something of an invalid. It was arranged that they should pass the winter in the country.

Every day Giorgio went to business in the city, leaving Paoletta alone. The young wife, busy with her new cares, was happy and contented. She adored music and played a great deal in her hours of solitude.

By and by she noticed that a large spider came out of his lurking place to listen to her. Joined by a long and slender thread to the back of a mirror, he got himself well in evidence upon a decorated cornice, with his keen eyes, his long legs and remained immovable, as if hypnotized by the soft harmonies of Chopin.

Paoletta gradually ceased to fear him. But when to this great spider were added several others she resolved to remove this large family, domesticated no doubt for a number of years. She called in a carpenter to take down the mirror, laughing to see the tribe scampering.

Suddenly she uttered a cry of surprise. Wrapped up as in a net, invested with a great mass of cobwebs, a letter sealed with black fell from behind the mirror.

The workman, no less surprised than the young lady, presented the letter to Paoletta, who took it, trembling. On the outside she read:

"To be delivered to Signor Giorgio Dorval after my death."

The young wife's heart beat fast. This letter was directed to her husband. What could it contain?

"It must have been written a long time ago," said the workman.

"It is directed to my husband," responded Paoletta. The man smiled musingly.

"A letter from a woman," he thought.

Should she burn this letter unopened? What might it contain? Should she give it to Giorgio?

No, no; certainly not.

After a long time she broke the seal, and this is what she read:

"My dear Giorgio, I am sick and sad. The house is a prison. I seem to find in it something tragical, leading to revenge and death.

"Although it is ended, completely ended, do not doubt but we shall see each other again. Is our love to endure but one season? Do you not remember your oath of eternal fidelity?

"I have not forgotten and have returned to our nest. Now I would like to die, surrounded by the things you care for.

"I have re-entered this room, filled with tokens of your love. That reclining chair has seated you frequently, when, returning from a long excursion in the woods, I came to rest my head against your knees, while you touched the brown locks which fell over my forehead. I have reviewed all that year of happiness day by day and only desire to die in this house where you and I have loved."

Paoletta gave a loud cry and fell to the floor. When she returned to her senses, the sun had set, the day was slowly departing, the horizon, tinted with purple, forming a luminous garland. Nothing was changed in the life of the world about her. There was the same azure sky, the same strident shriek of the railway train, the hilarious shouts of the children released from school.

Was what had passed a dream, some strange fancy? No, the letter was there at her feet. It recalled her to reality. It was true—all was true! And suddenly she felt within her heart an enormous weight, and upon her shoulders something laid almost insupportable.

She remained for a long time motionless and silent, making a thousand projects. Then gradually her nerves gave way and tears flowed from her eyes.

When Giorgio returned, he found her calm, but a little nervous.

Several days passed, then Poaletta took to her bed.

A malady which had not been able to carry her to the tomb a year before reappeared. The physician announced that all was over; she would not outlast the fall of the leaves.

She treated Giorgio with coldness, of which she gave no explanation. He attended her, watched over her, supplicated her to tell him why she had changed, but she remained silent, and her calmness made him almost insane.

One morning she said to him, "You will return early today, will you not, Giorgio?"

He bent over her, kissing her tenderly.

"Yes, my darling," he said.

That evening, when he returned, she was dead. She held in her rigid hands a letter—the letter of Chiara. In pencil she had added these words:

"I am jealous of this woman, and of jealousy die. Adieu, Giorgio!"—From the Italian.

Women's Editions.

In speaking of the fad of women's editions of newspapers, The Kingston Freeman says: "It is remarkable that this kind of enterprise is confined to newspapers. Why not let the Bricklayers' union run a big hotel one day for the benefit of charity? Or the West Shore railroad might be turned over to the Y. M. C. A. for a day. It would be interesting to let the W. C. T. U. take charge of a bank for one day and show how it ought to be run. Then there is an opportunity for some pastor to let a half dozen newspaper men manage his church for a week or so, just to let people see what they would do. Another good idea would be for a watchmaker to turn over his shop to the Horseshoers' association. In fact, there is no limit to these schemes, and this ought to be a big year for charities of all kinds."

The Usual Mistake.

The officer had arrested a prisoner for drunkenness, and the judge, for some reason, dismissed him, the officer not being present when the case was called. Later he met the late prisoner on the street.

"Hello!" he exclaimed in astonishment. "What are you doing out here?"

"On my way home," smiled the prisoner.

"How did you get out?"

"The judge discharged me."

"How did that happen?"

"I don't know," and the offender smiled again. "I guess he didn't know I was loaded."—Detroit Free Press.

Thrown Away

—half the labor of washing and cleaning, when it is done without *Pearline*. The old-fashioned scouring and scrubbing wastes your strength and wears out the clothes. *Pearline* takes the dirt away thoroughly and easily. It harms nothing; it cleans everything. Wash with *Pearline*, and save your strength for something better; nothing saves it better than to use *Pearline*. 293

Beware of imitations. JAMES PYLE, N. Y

A Warm Friend.

Foley's Colic and Diarrhoea Cure is very hot, but when diluted it is a warm friend indeed to those suffering from bowel complaints. It never fails. 25 and 50c. H. F. Vortkamp, northeast corner Main and North streets.

Notes of the Jews.

Nearly all the Jewish weeklies in the United States are opposed to the silver heresy, and favor the gold basis for business purposes.

The Jewish Sisterhoods in New York are in prime condition, and are constantly engaged in the performance of those good works which are neglected by other charitable institutions.

The recent celebration of the 50th anniversary of Temple Emanu-El, in New York city, has stirred up the interest of all American Jewry in the reforms of which the Temple has been the leader. It was among the first of American synagogues to emphasize the necessity of ritual changes in modern worship.

There is complaint that the Jewish prisoners in the Kings county, N. Y., penitentiary were not supplied with matzoth during the last Passover, also that there was an insufficiency of matzoth for the Jewish prisoners at Sing Sing. It seems, furthermore, that the rabbi who visits his coreligionists in the Sing Sing penitentiary has been so heedless as to read the prayers without a hat.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St, San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else, then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at Melville's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and $1.00.

The Newest Advertising Dodge.

If you find a letter in your box or lying in your hallway one of these fine days that is addressed, but not to you, don't follow the course that, according to popular tradition, is usually taken by women and open it over the steam of a kettle, for ten chances to one it is a business circular.

The ruse is one of the neatest yet adopted. A business card is placed in a plain envelope, which is sealed and addressed in a feminine hand to a mythical lady in some fashionable locality. Messengers distribute these envelopes quietly in the letter boxes and hallways of flats and private houses, and the advertiser counts on woman's curiosity to do the rest. His idea is that the first impulse of the finder of one of these letters will be to put a stamp on it and mail it, the second to look around suspiciously to see if anybody is looking, and then take the first opportunity to open it over the steam of a kettle.

An Ohio Mother's Letter.

MANSFIELD, O., March 13, 1893.

'I have used Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion for two years and it gives relief to my children when cutting teeth. My child after having the lotion applied a few times would actually cry for it. I have also used Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Cough and Croup Medicine and can recommend them to all mothers."—Mrs. M. A. Ridenow. Dr. Hand's Remedies for children are sold by all druggists for 25c.

Weapons Indians Fear.

"Indians sometimes face light fire-arms with great courage, but they fight shy of the attentions of any weapon that sends a large projectile," said Col. F. A. Blake, who has had a wide experience on the Western plains. "A rush and scream of the heavy bullet frightens them, and they prefer to keep away from their range. To that not unreasonable prejudice is due the fact that the buffalo hunters of the early seventies, who in following their business were constantly exposed to the attacks of hostile Indians, were molested comparatively little by them. The long, heavy rifle with its telescopic sights and the knowledge of the deadly certainty of the buffalo hunter's aim, almost invariably served to make the red man keep his distance, and set him temporarily free from the notion of scalp hunting.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

DAIRY AND CREAMERY.

NEAT BUTTER PRINT.

The Tasteful and Convenient Pattern at the Cornell Agricultural Experiment Station.

The dairy department at Cornell university is making its record. It has given many a useful lesson to dairymen and creamerymen both in and outside of New York. As a sort of trademark, on its bulletins is stamped the picture reproduced below. It is the Cornell butter print.

The style of butter printing here shown is very convenient. It can be utilized for either one or two pound prints. The device "C. U." can be easily replaced with some pretty and tasteful one equally good for advertising the man who makes the butter if the man is ingenious and enterprising. We consider this method of making up butter prints the best in use. Whether the prints are one or two pounds the same neat and pretty device is repeated on each quarter of it, so that the figure will not be destroyed when the butter is brought to the table. A very thin wooden knife or slip of wood can divide the butter at the lines of separation so neatly that they will not be detected. This method saves time in printing, as two pounds, perhaps even more, can by it be printed where one used to be by old fashioned methods. This arrangement, with the use of one of the excellent machine butter prints now sold by dairy supply houses, will facilitate operation of making table butter look pretty.

CORNELL UNIVERSITY BUTTER.

Cow Feed.

The following formula ought to give good results with the small cows. For the larger ones you may increase proportionately all around or add a larger proportion of bran and oilmeal to bring up the protein. Quite possibly the smaller cows will not eat as much hay as specified. In that event reduce the amount. Strive to feed so that cows will come to each meal with good appetites, but allow nothing to be left over.

Formula.	Organic matter.	Protein.	Carbo-hydrates.	Fat.
20 lbs. tim. hay	16.48	.60	8.78	.24
4 lbs. corn and cob meal....	3.34	.26	2.25	.17
4 lbs. bran....	3.30	.50	1.76	.17
2 lbs. oilmeal	1.70	.57	.64	.14
Totals.........	24.82	1.93	13.43	.72

(Protein, Carbo-hydrates and Fat: Digestible nutrients.)

We have had experience and vexation with the feeding tables. Some variations are misprints, copied and recopied from one publication into others. We try to keep a corrected table, making changes from time to time as we receive what seems to be good authority for them. But, as we say in substance elsewhere, these discrepancies do not amount to very much in a single ration. The feeding stuffs themselves vary more widely than the tables, and no skillful feeder will follow a formula or a table blindly. He must be guided by results, study the individuality of his cows and feed accordingly.

J. M. D., Wiscoy, N. Y., has timothy hay in abundance and wants to supplement it from the following: Corn, $20; wheat, $20; oats, $25; bran, $18, linseed meal, $25. It will cost $1.60 additional per ton to grind the grain. He wants formulas with and without oats. We give the latter:

Formula.	Organic matter.	Protein.	Carbo-hydrates.	Fat
20 lbs. tim. hay	16.48	.60	8.78	.24
2 lbs. corn....	1.75	.14	1.35	.08
6 lbs. bran....	4.94	.75	2.65	.17
2 lbs. oilmeal	1.70	.57	.64	.14
Totals..........	24.87	2.06	13.42	.63

(Protein, Carbo-hydrates and Fat: Digestible nutrients.)

As we have said repeatedly, there is nothing in oats to justify their use when they cost 50 per cent more than bran. The most that has been proved in any feeding experiment is that they were 10 per cent better than bran. That was in Wisconsin. At other stations they have not shown any superiority. Mr. D. can try for himself, if he wishes, by substituting oats for bran in whole or in part and pound for pound or cost for cost.

Feeding standards.	Organic matter. Lbs.	Protein. Lbs.	Carbo-hydrates.	Fat.
Wolff's Ger'an standard....	24.0	2.5	12.5	0.4
Wolff's American standard	24.5	2.15	13.3	0.7

(Protein, Carbo-hydrates and Fat: Digestible nutrients.)

These standards are for cows weighing 1,000 pounds and giving an ordinary flow of milk.

We now compute a trial ration, say, as follows:

First trial ration.	Organic matter.	Protein.	Carbo-hydrates	Fat.
20 lbs. clover hay.........	15.70	1.30	6.98	.32
10 lbs. corn stover......	5.61	.20	3.41	.06
5 lbs. oat st'w	4.29	.08	2.06	.04
3 lbs. buckw't middlings...	2.47	.66	1.00	.16
4 lbs. bran....	3.30	.50	1.70	.12
1 lb. oilmeal..	.85	.28	.32	.07
Totals.........	32.21	3.02	15.55	.77

(Protein, Carbo-hydrates and Fat: Digestible nutrients.)

This is too large all around, but the extra excess in organic matter and protein indicates where deductions and additions should be made. Trying again we might get the following:

Second trial ration.	Organic matter.	Protein.	Carbo-hydrates.	Fat.
10 lbs. clover hay.........	7.85	.65	3.49	.16
10 lbs. stover..	5.61	.20	3.41	.06
7 lbs. straw...	6.00	.11	2.92	.05
3 lbs. buckw't middlings...	2.47	.66	1.00	.16
4 lbs. bran....	3.30	.50	1.76	.12
1 lb. oilmeal..	.85	.28	.32	.07
Totals.........	26.08	2.40	12.90	.62

(Protein, Carbo-hydrates and Fat: Digestible nutrients.)

This is a fair compromise between the American and German standards. Other changes could easily be made to conform to individual judgment or preference.

Treatment For a Flabby Skin.

For a flabby skin the following treatment is recommended. Never use hard water upon it; either preserve rainwater for the purpose, or, if that is impossible, buy distilled water of a reliable druggist. Eat bread that is one day old and choose that which is made from whole meal. A little gluten made into a mush and eaten with rich milk is also said to help in rounding out the face and neck.

Significant.

"Did you know Jack had changed the name of his new mare from Sallie to Mother-in-law?"

"No. Why?"

"Because she interferes."—Boston Bee.

In Our Great Grandfather's Time,

big bulky pills were in general use. Like the "blunderbuss" of that decade they were big and clumsy, but ineffective. In this century of enlightenment, we have Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, which cure all liver, stomach and bowel derangements in the most effective way.

Assist Nature a little now and then, with a gentle, cleansing laxative, thereby removing offending matter from the stomach and bowels, toning up and invigorating the liver and quickening its tardy action, and you thereby remove the cause of a multitude of distressing diseases, such as headaches, indigestion, or dyspepsia, biliousness, pimples, blotches, eruptions, boils, constipation, piles, fistulas and maladies too numerous to mention.

If people would pay more attention to properly regulating the action of their bowels, they would have less frequent occasion to call for their doctor's services to subdue attacks of dangerous diseases.

That, of all known agents to accomplish this purpose, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are unequaled, is proven by the fact that once used, they are always in favor. Their secondary effect is to keep the bowels open and regular, not to further constipate, as is the case with other pills. Hence, their great popularity, with sufferers from habitual constipation, piles and indigestion.

A free sample of the "Pellets," (4 to 7 doses) *on trial*, is mailed to any address, post-paid, on receipt of name and address on postal card.

Address, WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo, N. Y.

A New Empire.

In her interesting letters to the St. James *Gazette* Mrs. Bishop draws a striking picture of the manner in which the Russian Government is opening up the fertile regions of Eastern Siberia. Nikoloskoye is a place of 15,000 inhabitants, the center of a large government flour mill and elaborate barracks. For many miles on either side the new Siberian railroad passes through neat villages and prosperous farms. "From Spasskoje," says Mrs. Bishop, "and east of the Hanka Lake up to Ussuri, the magnificent region is waiting to be peopled. Grass, timber, water, coal, a soil as rich as the prairies of Illinois, and a climate not only favorable to agriculture, but to human health, all await the settler; and the broad, unoccupied and fertile lands which Russian Manchuria offers are capable of supporting a population of many millions.

The fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla, once fairly tried, becomes the favorite spring medicine, speaks volumes for its excellence and merit.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Walter Dotson and Frank Dotson, whose residences are unknown, will take notice that on the 10th day of May, 1895, Eli Mechling, as administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Pearson, deceased, filed his petition in the Probate Court, of Allen county, Ohio, in case No 5404, against the above named parties and others praying for an order of sale authorizing him as administrator to sell the following described premises situated in the county of Allen, State of Ohio, to-wit: Inlot number two hundred (200) in Miller's addition to the village of Spencerville, Ohio, to pay the debts of said Elizabeth Pearson, deceased.

Said parties are required to answer on or before the 20th day of July, A. D. 1895, or judgment may be taken against them.

ELI MECHLING,
Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Pearson, deceased.
By Ridenour & Halfhill, his attorneys.
5-15-6w

LEGAL NOTICE.

Benjamin F. Henders, residing near the city of Bismark, in the State of North Dakota, will take notice that on the 27th day of April, 1895, Elizabeth J. Turner, as guardian of Catharine Patterson, an imbecile, filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas, Allen county, Ohio, in case No. 8417 against him, praying that the assessment made by the county commissioners against the east half of the west half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-four (24), in township four (4) south, range eight (8) east, for locating, establishing and constructing a ditch may be apportioned between the owner of the life estate and the owner of the fee, in said premises.

Said defendant is required to answer on or before the 29th day of June, A. D. 1895, or judgment may be taken against him.

PROPHET & EASTMAN,
4 29 6m Attorneys for Plaintiff.

NOTICE.

John W Sweeting whose place of residence is unknown will take notice that on the 17th day of May, 1895 Nathan L. Michael filed his petition in the Common Pleas Court, of Allen county, Ohio, in case No. 8444, against the above named party, praying for the foreclosure of a mortgage made by John W Sweeting to plaintiff on forty-four (44) feet off the west side of lot number twenty eight hundred and sixty-six (2866) in Olymer's addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, given to secure a debt on which a balance of $165 25 is due with interest from March 12th, 1892.

Said party is requested to answer on or before the 24th day of July, 1895, or judgment may be taken against him.

N. L. MICHAEL.
By J. J. Ferral, Attorney. 5 17-fr-6w

NOTICE OF PETITION.

Notice is hereby given that a petition praying for the vacation of eleven (11) feet off the south side of Water street, between Main street and West street in the City of Lima, Ohio and that said street be narrowed accordingly, is now pending before the city council of said city, and that the same will stand for action on and after the 10th day of June, A. D 1895.

Given at Lima, Ohio, this 29th day of April, 1895. C. E. LYNCH,
5 4 am6w City Clerk.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned, at his office until 12 o'clock noon on Monday, May 27, 1895, for furnishing crushed stone to the city of Lima for use on streets.

Bids to state price per cubic yard at which bidder will furnish the stone, either delivered or at quarry.

By order of council.
C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.
Lima, Ohio, May 3, 1895. 5-4s m-4w

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Lydia Ann Imler, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Lydia Ann Imler, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 18th day of May, A. D. 1895.
ISAIAH IMLER.

Notice.

The partnership heretofore existing between A. C Baxter and W. J. Booth have this day been dissolved by mutual consent. W. J. Booth will pay all indebtedness and collect all claims due. 5 13 6 w

NO. 54

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No 8280.

John R. Williams, Plaintiff, vs Francis M. Mauk, et al, Defendants. } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 22nd, A. D. 1895,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate on West Elm street, in the City of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number thirty five hundred and thirty-three (3533) in Holland's addition to the city of Lima, in said county.

Appraised at $700 00.

Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, May 17th, 1895.
O. W. Smith, Plaintiff's Attorney.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No 8107.

Ross Crossley, Plaintiff, vs Ira Clizbe Defendant. } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 1st, A. D. 1895,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate on Atlantic avenue, in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlots two thousand seven hundred and eighty-four (2784) and two thousand seven hundred and eighty-five (2785) in Ashton's addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Said lots to be sold separately.

Inlot No. 2784 appraised at $ 25 00.

Inlot No. 2785 appraised at $425 00.

Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen county, Ohio.

April. Ohio, April 29th, 1895
Prophet & Eastman, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 8353.

The State of Connecticut, Plaintiff, vs. Clara James, et al., Defendant } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 15th, A. D., 1895,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m, the following described lands and tenements, situate on West Wayne street, in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being forty-eight (48) feet off the east side of lot number twenty-one hundred and eighty-two (2182) in William L Nelson's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $1200 00.

Terms of Sale:—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, May 4th, 1895.
Cable & Parmenter, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, I will offer for sale, at public auction, on the 28th day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the east door door of the court house in Lima, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Allen and State of Ohio, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of section thirty-six (36), Township three (3) south, Range six (6) east, thence east along the north line of said section, twenty (20) chains and seven (7) links; thence south twelve (12) chains and seventy (70) links to the center of the Allentown road, thence north seventy and three-fourth (70¾) degrees west along the center of said road to the west line of said section thirty-six (36); thence north five (5) chains and fifty-three (53) links to the place of beginning, containing eighteen and twenty seven hundredths (18 27-100) acres of land, more or less, all in Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Said property is appraised at $10,000.

Terms of Sale—One-third cash on day of sale; one third in one year, and one third in two years, from date of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by mortgage on the premises sold, and to bear interest from the day of sale, payable annually.

Lima, Ohio, April 27, 1895.

RINGGOLD W. MEILY, Administrator of Luther M Meily, deceased.

Motter & Mackenzie Attorneys. 4 27 30d

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jermiah W Finn, deceased.

All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims against the same will present them, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

W. H DUFFIELD, Administrator.

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C. Kendrick, South Oil City, Pa., writes: a gentleman friend of mine, living in Buffalo, N. Y., sent me to-day a small circular of your Japanese Pile Cure. He having suffered with the Piles for thirty-one years; tried everything he heard of and got no better until he tried one box of your Japanese Pile Cure. He got relief instantaneously, four boxes curing him. Please send me a package at once and oblige.

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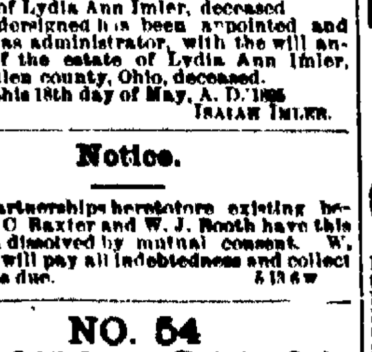

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. [illegible]

John E. Williams, Plaintiff, vs. Francis M Monk et al, Defendants. } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 22nd, A. D., 1895,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate on West Wayne street, in the City of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots one to twenty five hundred and sixty-three sixty in Holland's addition to the city of Lima, in said county.

Appraised at $900 00.

Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, May 17th, 1895.

O W Smith, Plaintiff's Attorney. 5-17-tu&fr-5w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 6607.

Ross Crossley, Plaintiff, vs. Ira Clisbe Defendant. } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county Ohio, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 1st, A. D. 1895,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate on Atlantic avenue, in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlots two thousand seven hundred and eighty-four (2784) and two thousand seven hundred and eighty-five (2785) in Ashton's addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Said lots to be sold separately.

Inlot No. 2784 appraised at $ 25 00.

Inlot No 2785 appraised at $[illegible].

Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen county, Ohio.

April, Ohio, April 29th, 1895.

Prophit & Eastman, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 6362.

The State of Connecticut, Plaintiff, vs. Clara James, et al., Defendant. } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 15th, A. D., 1895,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate on West Wayne street, in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being forty-eight (48) feet off the east side of lot number twenty-one hundred and eighty-two (2182) in William L Nelson's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $1200 00.

Terms of Sale:—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, May 4th, 1895.

Cable & Parmenter, Plaintiff's Attorneys

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, I will offer for sale, at public auction, on the 20th day of May, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the east door door of the court house in Lima, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Allen and State of Ohio, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of section thirty-six (36), Township three (3) south, Range six (6) east, thence east along the north line of said section, twenty (20) chains and seven (7) links, thence south twelve (12) chains and seventy (70) links to the center of the Allentown road, thence north seventy and three-fourth (70¾) degrees west along the center of said road to the west line of said section thirty-six (36); thence north five (5) chains and fifty-three (53) links to the place of beginning, containing eighteen and twenty seven hundredths (18 27-100) acres of land, more or less, all in Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Said property is appraised at $10,000.

Terms of Sale—One-third cash on day of sale, one third in one year, and one third in two years, from date of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by mortgage on the premises sold, and to bear interest from the day of sale, payable annually.

Lima, Ohio, April 27, 1895

RINGGOLD W MELLY, Administrator of Luther M Melly, deceased

Motter & Mackenzie Attorneys. 4 27 30d

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jermiah W Finn, deceased.

All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims against the same will present them, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

W. H DUFFIELD, Administrator.

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Pointers and Items of Interests Found at the Young Men's Rooms.

The men's meeting last Sunday was most interesting and another good meeting is expected to-morrow.

Study of the Sunday school lesson to-night at 7 o'clock. An informal practical study for both scholars and teachers. No personal questions asked. Both ladies and gentlemen invited. All made welcome.

Work getting ready for the gymnasium exhibition is progressing very nicely. The boys will give a most pleasing and entertaining exhibition of their work. It occurs Friday night at the opera house.

The president of the association has filled out most of the working committees for the year. They will organize and get down to business immediately.

The following is the programme for the exhibition on next Friday.

Over ture	Orchestra
Bar Bell Drill	Senior Class
Pyramids	Senior Class
Guitar Solo	Frank Marks
Contests	Juniors
a—high jumping.	
b—high dive.	
c—Roman wrestling.	
d—elephant racing.	
e—Indian wrestling	
Pyramids	Seniors
INTERMISSION.	
Overture	Orchestra
Dumb Bell Drill	Junior Class
Guitar and Mandolin	Chas. Hover and Frank Marks
Mat Work	Seniors and Juniors
Free Calisthenics	Boys' Class
Pyramids	Seniors

The men's meeting to-morrow afternoon promises to be one of the best ever held. Rev. J. H. Bethards will speak on "Christianity's Book." Mrs. David Bell will render a solo. The male chorus will sing two numbers. All men are invited.

SABBATH SERVICES.

EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday School, 9 a. m; preaching, 10:15 a. m.; class meeting, 11 a. m; Epworth League, 6:30 p. m; preaching, 7:30 p. m. All are most cordially invited. J. F. OLIVE, Pastor.

GENERAL SYNOD LUTHERAN CHURCH, corner Spring and Pierce streets. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; memorial service at 10:15 a. m; preaching at 7:30 p. m and Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation extended to all. I. J. MILLER, Pastor.

CALVARY REFORMED CHURCH, cor. High and Cemetery streets. Sunday services. 10 a. m. preaching, subject, "Ascension of Christ;" 3 p. m. Sunday school; 6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor and 7:30 preaching, subject, "Judas." All are welcome. DANIEL BURKHALTER, Pastor.

TRINITY M E CHURCH.

Class 9 a. m; preaching 10 a. m.; Bible school 11:30 a. m.; at 6:30 p. m. the league of Grace M. E. church will join with us in a fraternal service and at 7:30 the two congregations will unite and Rev. S. Bumgardner will preach. The best of music and all the people welcome. J. H. BETHARDS, Pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, cor. west Market and West streets. The pastor, Rev. R. J. Thomson, will preach. Subject at 10 a. m. "The Attack Upon the Doctrine of the Resurrection of the Body;" at 7:30 p. m., by request of the Christian Endeavor Societies, an address, "The Grand Objective of Christian Endeavor." Mrs. D. Bell will sing at this services. S. S. at 11:30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p m. All services free. All welcome.

MAIN ST. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m; sermon at 10:15, subject, "The Privilege of Every Man the Greatest Known to Man;" Third street Mission school at 2 p m; Junior C. E at 2:30; Senior C. E. at 6:45 and sermon at 7:45 on "The Natural and the Supernatural in Preaching and Christian Work. Prayer service at 7:45 Thursday evening. All made welcome. W. G. SMITH, Pastor.

CHRIST CHURCH.

North and West street. Divine services to-morrow at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All welcome. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. REV. C B. CRAWFORD, Rector.

GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH.

Regular services at 10 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. C. E. at 6 p. m and Sunday school at 9 a. m. C. BAUM, Pastor.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, Tanner street, Rev. J. H. Hunton, pastor. Worship and sermon at 10:15 a m and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 9 a. m. Y. P. L. S. 6:30 p. m. Seats free and all are welcome.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.

There will be a gospel temperance meeting at Epworth church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

SOUTH LIMA BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL meets corner Second street and Forest avenue at 2 p. m. to-morrow Preaching service at the same place in the evening at 7:30 o'clock.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Morning worship 10 a. m. Sermon by the pastor before the Junior Order of American Mechanics and friends, subject, "Cupbearers to the King." Bible school 11:30 a. m.; Junior Baptist Union 2:30 p. m; Baptist Young People's Union 6:30 p m; preaching at 7:30 p m. Subject, "The Eye that Sees." REV. GEO. BYRON MORSE, Pastor.

Eczema in the Hands.

Manchester, Ohio, May 6, 1895. "We have used Hood's Sarsaparilla and we think it an excellent medicine and recommend it to others. I have been troubled with eczema in my hands for a number of years, but since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla they are much better and I believe that Hood's Sarsaparilla will entirely cure them." Mrs H. G. Cowan, Box 125.

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W. R. C.

Mombers of Mart Armstrong Relief Corps will meet in Memorial Hall Sunday morning at 9 o'clock to attend memorial services in the Lutheran church. LAURA LOUTHAN, President.

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Notice.

Members of Mart Armstrong Post and Woman's Relief Corps, together with Geo. A. Taylor Command of U. V. U. with their auxiliary, and all old soldiers who wish to join us, will meet at the G. A. R. hall on Sunday morning, May 26th, at 9:30, to attend the Synod Lutheran church for memorial services.

CONVERSE MAYO, Post Commander.

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A Remarkable Cure of Rheumatism

From the Groton Connecticut Review.

David Lewis, who has been afflicted all winter by rheumatism, is out again, and all due to one of the medicines advertised in our columns. After trying everything possible, he used Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which has relieved him from all pain, from which he was a constant sufferer, and promises to make him fit for duty soon. We know David has been a great sufferer and are glad to see him around again. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, n e cor Main and North streets.

Notice, U. V. U.

All members of Geo. A. Taylor Command and all old soldiers and members of the Ladies Relief Union are requested to meet at U. V. U. headquarters next Sabbath morning at 9 o'clock a. m. and go from there to memorial hall to join the G. A. R. and attend memorial services at Spring street Lutheran church. By order of L. REICHELDERFER, Commanding U. V. U.

H. S. PROPHET, Adjt.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

CORRECT SCHEDULE

Of the arrival and departure of trains from Lima, Ohio.

C., H. & D.

North.	South.
8:10 a. m	8:45 a. m.
8:40 a m	9:20 a. m.
1:55 p. m	1:20 a. m
5:15 p m	6:05 p. m.
2:50 a. m	3:30 a. m
7:40 a m—Sunday	Sunday—7:25 a m

CHICAGO & ERIE.

East.	West
7:00 a. m. Local	Local 7:30 a. m
9:20 p. m	9:10 a m
9:15 p. m	1:12 p. m.
9:48 a. m	12:08 a. m

P., F. W. & C.

East.	West.
7:45 a. m	9:20 a. m.
9:11 a. m	3:50 p. m.
3:15 p. m	3:44 p m.
9:35 p. m	1:45 a. m.
10:50 p. m. Limited	Limited 3:45 a. m.

L. R. & W.

East.	West
7:20 a m	9:35 a. m.
1:50 p m	5:00 p. m.
7:35 p. m	2:45 a. m.

OHIO SOUTHERN.

Depart—South.	Arrive
8:30 a m	10:30 p. m
3:30 p. m	4:50 p. m.

Medical Journals Suggest Its Use.

The many who live better than others and enjoy life more are the ones who more rapidly adapt the best products to their physical needs. It is from this large class you can learn of the great good to be derived from the use of Dr David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It is presented in a most acceptable form, pleasant to the taste and perfect in action. It has given satisfaction to millions. It is approved and prescribed by practising physicians as it is used in all hospitals and sanitariums. In dyspepsia, neuralgia, kidney, liver and urinary complaints and the ills peculiar to women it is a positive cure. For constipation, nervousness, or loss of sleep, it is unequaled. Dr Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is so generally prescribed now that all dealers in medicine sell it

W. R. C. Committees for Decoration Day.

Woodlawn—Anna Willower, Elizabeth Porter, Amelia V. Davis, Amanda Sullivan, Frances Prophet.

Old Cemetery—Elizabeth Allen, Belle Kemper, Sarah E. Fritz, Isabella Light, Sarah Spyker.

Catholic Cemetery—Sarah Galarneau, Catharine Coats, Keziah McGinnis, Agnes Fisher, Margaret Frith

Monument—Allie Richie, Emma Marshall, Matilda Neise, Biddie Smith, Emma Souders.

Flowers—Marietta Moulton, Hattie Hoover, Mary Bower, Florence Fullerton, Katharyn Reilly.

Evergreen and Rings—Mary Applas, Jennie Dobbins, Laura Randall, Mary Crum.

Rope—Rachel McKinney, Lucinda Sherman, Frances McComb, Mary Davies, Clara Sharp.

Every member of Mart Armstrong Relief Corps and all who are willing to assist in preparing for Decoration Day are requested to meet in the assembly room Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. LAURA LOUTHAN, President.

Agreeably Surprised.

"I had a very severe cold on my lungs that caused much soreness and gave me considerable uneasiness in regard to the result," says Mr. T. E Smith, of Billerica, Mass. "A local druggist called my attention to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and on his recommendation I gave the remedy a careful trial. The result surprised me; I recovered entirely in three days." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by H. F. Vortkamp, n e cor Main and North streets.

Well, Now Look at This.

Prof. Sam Weinfelt, of Fostoria, a brother-in-law of Frankel Bros, of this city, has accepted a position with B. S. Porter & Son, the piano and organ dealers. By the way the sales of this hustling firm yesterday were on the increase and we advise everyone to look for what Messrs Porter & Son will have to say to everybody through these columns to morrow No grass grows under the feet of the B. S. Porter folks and they are not chair warmers either. It

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A new seven-room house, in a desirable location and not too far from the main portion of the city, is for sale and may be purchased at a remarkably low figure. House has a bath room and a large, convenient cellar; fences new; lot 50 feet wide and 105 feet long. Graveled driveway, 75-barrel filtered cistern and fruit trees on the lot. Address J. W. B., care this office. tf

Attention, Sir Knights.

All sir Knights of Shawnee Commandery No. 14, K. T., will assemble at asylum in full dress Sunday morning, May 26, at 9 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of attending divine service at Christ Episcopal church.

GEORGE W. MYERS, Eminent Commander.

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Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no money required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Melville Bros.

Ringling's Circus, Kenton, Ohio, May 29th.

The Chicago & Erie R. R. Co. will put extra coaches on train 32 May 29th, leaving Lima at 7:00 a. m. to to accommodate parties wishing to attend the celebrated show. Fare for round trip, including admission to show $1:30. F. C. McCOY, tt Ticket Agent.

No Danger.

"The peculiar thing about this boa constrictor, ladies and gents," said the keeper, "is that it requires a young chicken about once a week. It is not dangerous except when hungry. It is very particular about what it eats, ladies and gents, and that young man that's smoking a cigarette can approach the cage with perfect impunity. It won't touch him."—Chicago Tribune.

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No family should be without Foley's Diarrhœa and Colic Cure. Perfectly safe and will give instant relief. Price 25 and 50c H. F. Vortkamp, northeast corner Main and North streets

Be Sure and Attend

the auction sale of Seinsheimer's addition of Clifton to Lima, Ohio, as the owner, being a non-resident, will sell at a sacrifice in order to close out the sub-division. thasat

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY.

Vast Work Undertaken by the Methodist Church.

BISHOP HURST IS ENTHUSIASTIC.

The Institution Will Not Be Sectarian, but Protestant—To Be Located Near Washington—Twenty-Nine Buildings in Contemplation—Will Cost $10,000,000 to Fully Equip the University.

WASHINGTON, May 25. Bishop Hurst, who is president of the board of trustees of the American university, which on Wednesday raised $150,000 for the erection of the first building, a hall of history, is very enthusiastic over the outlook. The scheme for the university is gigantic. It is proposed to make it a great institution for the training and equipment of students for special and original research. The work done at the university is to be purely post-graduate, a college diploma being necessary for matriculation. Although two-thirds of the trustees must be Methodists by the terms of the charter granted by congress, the purpose is not to make it sectarian, but a Protestant institution.

The site of the university, costing $100,000, is located on the heights above Washington, beyond the new naval observatory and Woodley, President Cleveland's old country place. It includes 90 acres. Ultimately the plans contemplate 29 buildings. The trustees estimate that it will cost $5,000,000 to start the university and $10,000,000 for the full equipment. The funds are being raised largely by personal solicitation. Over $32,000 have already been subscribed exclusive of the $150,000 raised Wednesday. The trustees hope to see the university inaugurate its work two years from the commencement of the next school year.

LOOKS SUSPICIOUS.

Explosion Demolishes a House—Woman Killed—Two People Disappear.

OMAHA, May 25.—An explosion in a cottage at Twenty-sixth and Caldwell streets blew the house to pieces, completely wrecking it.

Mrs. G. S. Osborn, whose husband is a telegraph operator, was so badly burned that she died shortly afterward. William Henry and his wife, the other occupants of the house at the time, have completely disappeared.

The explosion appears to have been caused by a large quantity of purposely arranged gasoline or other explosives.

More Gunboats For Cuba.

MADRID, May 25.—Two more gunboats will leave Spain for the island of Cuba today. The papers found upon the body of Jose Marti, the insurgent leader who was killed at the battle of Boca de dos Rio, are of great importance to the Spanish authorities, and it is believed that they will lead to the arrest of prominent persons who are known to have been giving aid to the insurgents.

Queen's Birthday.

LONDON, May 25.—The seventy-sixth birthday of Queen Victoria was observed yesterday at all the naval and military stations, with the exception of the city, by the usual display of flags, trooping of colors, etc. In London the celebration of her majesty's birthday will be observed today, with the trooping of colors at Whitehall, ministerial dinners, etc.

Weather Indications.

For West Virginia—Increasing cloudiness, with showers, southeasterly winds

For Ohio and Indiana—Generally fair, southerly winds

For Lower Michigan—Fair cooler in northern portion; southerly winds

MARKET REPORTS.

Review of the Financial, Grain and Stock Markets For May 24.

New York.

Money on call easy at 1 per cent; last loan, 1, closed, 1. Prime mercantile paper, 3@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 488@488¼ for demand and 487@487¼ for 60 days; posted rates, 487½@488 and 488½@489. Commercial bills, 486¼@486¾ Silver certificates, 67¼@67½ Government bonds strong. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds strong. Petroleum weak; closed offered $1 60.

Chicago.

Cattle—Fair to extra beeves, $4 25@5 75, stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 60; mixed cows and bulls, $1 75@4 00; Texans, $3 50. Hogs — Light, $4 25@4 60; rough packing, $4 15@4 35; mixed and butchers', $4 25@4 65, heavy packing and shipping, $4 40@4 75; pigs, $3 10@4 35. Sheep—Natives, $3 00@5 20, western, $3 50@4 60, Texas, $4 00@4 40. Lambs—$3 50@6 25.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, $5 50@6 00; good, $5 10@5 40; bulls, stags and cows, $3 00@3 60. Hogs—Philadelphia, $4 85@4 90, common to fair Yorkers, $4 50@4 65, roughs, $3 00@4 00. Sheep—$3 30@4 50. Lambs—$2 50@5 40.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 85c. Corn — No. 2 mixed, 54½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 31¾@32c Rye—No. 2, 75c. Hogs — $4 10@4 60. Cattle—$2 85@5 50. Sheep—$2 50@4 40. Lambs—$4 00@6 00.

Cleveland.

Hogs — Medium, $4 55@4 60; mixed, $3 50@4 55. Cattle — Steers, $5 00@5 30, mixed, $2 75@4 40. Sheep — $4 00@4 40. Lambs—$4 80@5 15.

Columbus.

Sheep—$3 50. Hogs — $3 75@4 60. Cattle—Corn fed, $3 00@4 00, heifers, $4 00@5 00, steers, $4 50@5 50, bulls, $2 25@3 50; calves, $4 50@5 00.

Detroit.

Wheat—No. 1 white, 81c Corn—No. 3, 54½c. Oats, No 2 white, 33c. Rye—No. 2, 70c.

New York.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 79¾c. Corn—57⅞c. Oats—32¾@33¼c. Petroleum, $1 60.

Baltimore.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 18@19c; store packed, 8@10c Eggs—Fresh, 12½c.

Buffalo.

Hogs—$4 00@4 80. Sheep — $3 65@5 00. Lambs—$3 75@6 00.

Toledo.

Wheat—80¼c. Corn—54½c. Oats—31c. Cloverseed—$5 80

Oil City.

Oil—Opened, highest, lowest and closed at $1 60.

It Did the Business.

Mr. J. H. Cobb, publisher of the *Mirror*, at Brockton, N. Y., says: "For nearly two years the *Mirror* has been publishing the advertisements of Chamberlain's Remedies. A few days ago the writer was suffering from a bowel trouble and resorted to an old remedy which did not prove efficacious; finally he tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy, and two doses did the business, checking it completely. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, n e cor Main and North streets.

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Prices make them go. When you see them you won't go without them.

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We shall give with every pair of shoes a present equal in value to your share of the profits. Rainy days, cold weather, dull time, cut no figure with us. Our prices are so low, styles so good, and treatment so just, that people will have our shoes. Ladies will find our line of summer footwear especially attractive.

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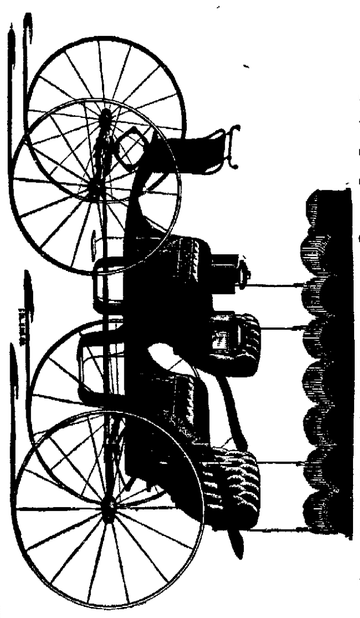

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Sometimes one is a reliable, monthly, regulating medicine. Only harmless and the purest drugs should be used. If you want the best, get

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They are prompt, safe and certain in result. Price $1.00 per box. Sold by druggists, or sent prepaid on receipt of price. Address Peal Medicine Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

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Extra Super Ingrain, 35 cents a yard.

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Plenty of us here to take your hints and make something in a nobby hat or stylish bonnet, just to your notion.

But the life of our Millinery business—the something that makes it unlike any other business—and better is the unmatched gathering of beautiful things and the wish that you may enjoy it to the full.

The beautiful waltz in sheet music form, entitled, "A GAIETY GIRL," Given away free to all lady visitors for the asking. Music dealers' price, 40 cents.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

SCOTCH SUITINGS 3 CENTS A YARD.

Moreen Skirts.

Full expansive, best stock, newest shapes, 11 inch ruffle, edged with velveteen and faced with satteen, have satteen yoke, sold every where in Lima for $2.50, but at the big store, the price we ask,

$1.75.

We don't want to kill competition; only shock it.

Women's Capes.

Some styles especially adapted to middle-aged ladies. Some jaunty things for young women. You may take them for less than they cost TO MAKE.

An elegant selection of Capes—cloth—black and fancy colors—all more or less trimmed.

$10.00 CAPES FOR $3.95.
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It's as necessary to have a Cape as it is to wear a hat, and we now offer stylish Cape creations, the gems of summer wear, at prices beneath the NETHER MOST. The viewers and the buyers get thicker every day. Twenty styles of different Capes for your selection.

Women's Waists.

Every lady should see the styles in their newness and splendor. Those who come first are liable to pick the pretty ones, though they are all that, and very good values.

Shirt Waist Sets

For 25 cents. Shirt Waist Studs, 10 cents a set. An elegant variety of Belt Buckles, Trilby Pins, Czarina Clasps, &c., all at the littlest prices ever shown.

Bring the children, and let them romp around the big store.

Drapery Stuffs

Are shown all around. Not at all expensive, either. Dotted Swisses, Madras Cloth, New Japanese Draperies. Pretty colorings for curtains, 20 cents a yard, though fairly worth more.

Lace Curtains.

An elegant variety of new designs. Prices for everybody. Showing a splendid variety for 19, 25 and 35 cents. As high as you care to soar. Our 50 cent Lace Curtain is a terror to competition.

Novelty Silks

For Waists, for Sleeves, for Decorations. There's not another such array of pretty Silks in Lima. Showing a pretty Wash Silk for 25 cents, a Habutai Silk for 35, a line of Novelty Silks for 50 cents, some for 75, others for $1.00, and so on. All kinds, all prices; everybody can find kinds and prices suited to their tastes and inclinations.

Wash Dress Goods, Dotted Swiss, White Dress Goods.

As many dainty styles as you would care to look at. All pretty, serviceable and economical in price.

Parasols, Silk Umbrellas.

Every colored kind is here. All styles, that take on various traceable forms of prettiness.

Those who appreciate economy as well as satisfactory qualities trade at

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Two Big Stores, 233 and 235 North Main Street.

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TELEPHONE CALL, NO. 84.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

P. R. Kerr has removed his office to the Melly block.

Mrs. Laura O'Neill and daughter will remove to Cleveland soon.

G. E. Bluem put a handsome delivery wagon on the streets to day.

Manager Livermore is having the lobby of Faurot's opera House overhauled.

W. W. Andrews, who has been ill for several months, is not improving and is a very sick man.

S. F. Beighard has removed his carpenter shop to the southeast corner of the public square.

Mr. George Myers, of 177 south Jackson street, is very low with dropsy of the heart.

Warmer weather is predicted for to-morrow, with slightly cooler weather to-morrow evening.

Frank Benefict, the C., H. & D. brakeman who lost a leg at Weston a few weeks ago, was able to be down town on crutches to-day.

The work of laying the concrete on the northwest corner of the square is about completed, and brick laying will be commenced next week.

Mr. Edward Rial, of north Main street, a painter in the L. E. & W. shops, has been confined to his room for the past week with rheumatism.

Rev. Hiram Sears, of the Western Seamen's Friend Society, of Cleveland, who has been in Lima a few days collecting means for the society, raised $92.50.

This afternoon the mounted head of the big moose killed by Dick Sinclair in Maine last November, arrived in the city via the U. S. Express company.

Members of the Piqua castle, K. G. E., were in the city last evening advertising an excursion to be given by them to the Soldiers' Home at Dayton, on Thursday, June 6th.

The Manhattan mandolin club returned home this afternoon from North Baltimore, where they furnished music last night for high school commencement exercises.

The room in the Faurot block formerly occupied by the Standard Oil company's telegraph office, is being fitted up for the office of Cashier Bates and Purchasing Agent McLaughlin.

On Monday of this week Dr. D. E. Mattesons successfully removed a cystic tumor from the left shoulder blade of F. P. Wentworth. It was of a good size, and lately had become quite painful. Frank is doing nicely and will be around in a few days.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.

S. A. Armstrong was over from Celina to day.

Charley Elcerman has returned from Elwood, Ind.

Dr. F. P. Collins, of Defiance, was in the city to-day.

Miss Gusta Wiesenthal is visiting her sister in Wapakoneta.

Mrs. E. J. Banta left this morning for Troy to visit with friends.

Mrs. L. W. Hiner left this morning for Richmond, Ind., for a visit with friends.

Misses Susie and Kittie Shea, of Second street, are visiting friends in Findlay.

Mrs. Edward Mitchell, of Tanner avenue, is visiting friends in Alger and Maysville.

Mrs. Ida Bock, of Cincinnati, is the guest of B. Frankel and family, of west North street.

Mrs. Lydia Fisher, of St. Johns, is visiting her brother, H. Emrick and family, of west Wayne street.

Mrs. T. Murphy, of east Wayne street, and family, are visiting friends in Toledo.

Miss Anna Risk, of 212 north Union street, returned yesterday from a three weeks' visit with friends in Ada.

C. H. Boehmer and Frank Stump, accompanied by their wives, were over from Delphos last night to see Kellar.

Clarence Hughes, who is in the Jarecki company's store at St. Marys, came hame this afternoon to spend Sunday.

Thos. Galvin has removed here from Dayton and is living on east High street. Mr. Galvin is engaged in the oil business.

P., Ft. W. & C. local conductor, Thos. Mulcahy, and family, of north Jackson street, will spend Sunday with his parents at Nevada.

Mrs. J. M. Marshall and daughter, Wanda, of west North street, are visiting friends and relatives in Piqua, Dayton and Greenville.

Mrs. M. Harnley, accompanied by her grandson, Teddy Montgomery, is at Lima visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. J. Cable.—*Van Wert Bulletin.*

Mrs. Maggie Mumaugh, of 179 south Jackson street, left this morning for a five weeks visit with friends and relatives, in Stark and Carrol counties.

Mrs. D. Bell will Sing

At the concert next Thursday evening She has chosen that fine old song, "The Minstrel Boy," and will sing it as only she can sing. The soldiers and all will be delighted to hear this touching song. It

Use Mohr's Stomach and Lung Bitters, the best.

Ladies

Of Lima and vicinity are requested to consult the young lady who will represent the Seven Sutherland Sisters at Vortkamp's drug store, n. e. cor. Main and North sts., for two weeks commencing May 27th, who will cheerfully answer all questions regarding the hair and scalp. She will also explain how the famous sisters obtained their wonderfully luxuriant and brilliant growth of hair. 89-2t

FELL IN A FAINT.

Mrs. Charles English Frightened into Nervous Prostration.

The gas in the cooking stove at the home of Charles English, on Second street, blew out, and when Mrs. English was in the act of turning the gas off, the lids were blown from the stove, which frightened Mrs. English so that she fell in a faint and was found in that condition by some neighboring ladies, who removed her to a bed and sent for her husband, who is employed in the steel works. Mr. English recently removed to this city and Mrs. English is unaccustomed to the use of gas, and she being subject to heart failure, the shock caused nervous prostration; but it is thought that nothing serious will result from the shock.

WAYNE CASTLE'S TEAM

Invited to Confer Degrees and do the Instituting Work.

At the regular meeting of Wayne Castle No. 58 K. G. E. last evening, a communication was received from Waynesfield inviting Wayne Castle to confer the degrees and institute a Castle at that place on next Wednesday evening. The invitation was accepted and the team, which is making quite a reputation for itself for fine work, will commence practicing for the occasion. The new Castle, which has only been organized for a couple of weeks, will start in with a membership of forty, which is something unusual for a town of that size. Other Castles are organizing in different parts of the county, and it is expected that before many years the Knights of the Golden Eagle will have a Castle in every town of any importance in Allen county. A communication was also received from Cairo Castle No. 65, inviting the Sir Knights of Wayne Castle and their ladies to attend an ice cream and strawberry festival to be given at that place to-night. It was accepted and about twenty-five Sir Knights and their ladies will attend in a body. Before the festival a parade will be given in Cairo, Sir Knights of both Wayne and Cairo Castles participating. A good time is expected.

Mr. Willett, Who Sings

For the Choral concert at the Congregational church on Decoration day evening, is a son-in law of Rev. Fish, who was pastor of Trinity M. E. church for so long a time. He has a fine tenor voice and has pleased the people wherever he has sung. It

OLD GLORY

Proudly Floating From the New Flag Staff on the Court House.

This morning the new flag, recently purchased by the commssioners of Allen county to float over the court house was run up for the first time. The flag is a beautiful piece of bunting nineteen feet wide and thirty-six feet long. The pole from which it floats is ninety-six feet long, and extends sixty-three feet above the roof. The flag was hoisted this morning by Sheriff Fisher in the presence of quite a number of people.

STREET TALK.

The G. A. R., W. R. C., U. V. U and W. R. V. U. will attend in a body the memorial services to be held at the Synod Lutheran church to-morrow morning.

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The coming B. P. O. E. circus on the 4th of July will be the biggest affair of the kind ever held in the city, and will be the means of bringing a large crowd to Lima. Many business men and others have already commenced arranging for the parade, which will be a fine one and one of the features of the celebration.

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Dr. T. R. Terwilliger returned this morning from Cincinnati, where he attended a dinner given by the old Miami graduates in honor of the founders of the Beta Theta Pi, in 1839, three survivors being all that now remain. John Riley Knox, of Greenville, was the only survivor present. The banquet took place last evening and consumed five hours.

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The Citizens' Loan and Building Co. yesterday reduced its rate of interest one per cent. to borrowers, also the initiation fee was abolished entirely. The association has grown steadily until now it has a membership of nearly 1300.

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Prof. C. C. Miller, recently elected superintendent of the Lima schools, was in the city to-day on his way to Lafayette where he will deliver an address at the commencement of the public schools this evening. Mr. Miller will not remove to Lima until in the fall, but will be in attendance at the Teachers Institute to be held in August.

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Superintendent Greenslade received a letter to-day stating that his nephew, John W. Greenslade, of Bellevue, had passed the entrance examination at the Anapolis Naval school, being one of twenty-one in a class of sixty-five who passed the examination. He was appointed a few months ago and is now off on a two year's cruise.

Mr. Lee Seinsheimer

will be at the burnt car stables in his subdivision of Clifton on Sunday, May 26, between the hours of 9 and 12 a. m. and from 2 to 5 p. m., and will be pleased to show the lots which he is going to sell at his auction sale on Monday, May 27, at 2 p. m. 88-2t

POLICE COURT.

McFadden Brought Back From Kenton - Charges Against Clifford and Welsh - Other Cases.

The young man named McFadden, who left Wm. Nunemaker's place on south Main street, a few days ago without settling his board bill, and who was afterwards captured at Kenton, was brought back to this city this morning by policeman Patton and locked up in the city prison. He was arraigned before the mayor this morning and claimed that he owed Nunemaker about $1.50 for board and drinks together, while Nunemaker claims that he owes $2. McFadden will try to have some of his friends settle for him.

Charges of disorderly conduct have been filed against "Coon" Clifford and "Red" Welsh, who assaulted conductor Mike Clifford at the C., H. & D. telegraph office night before last. It was thought that more serious charges would be made against the two men by conductor Clifford, but he has not yet made his appearance at the mayor's office and the charges of disorderly conduct were signed by the Chief of Police. Clifford and Welsh, however, are still at large, the police having been unable to catch sight of them since the assault was made.

William Nunemaker, a South Side saloon keeper, was before the mayor last evening upon a charge of Sunday selling. He pleaded guilty and was fined $30 and costs.

Del Wilson's case, which was to have been tried last evening, was again continued on account of one of the witnesses being quite ill.

ANOTHER VICTORY

Won by the Lima Team at Columbus Yesterday.

The Columbus *Journal* contains the following account of yesterday's ball game:

Columbus rooters died, were resurrected and then died again at yesterday's game. It was like a hideous nightmare. Lima started in her old gait, and piled up four runs in the opening inning without making a hit. Jack Reed made two bad errors. Handiboe sent three men to bases on balls and Tommy Miller did the rest with his usual fumble at short.

But, even in the face of big odds, Columbus played a grand uphill game, and when in the sixth inning, the Statesmen bagged six runs by a magnificent rally at the bat, the crowd went wild

Their joy, however, was of short duration. The Statesmen had their heads turned by success, and the visitors in their half duplicated Columbus's feat of getting six runs in an inning. But it was not batting that did it. Columbus's infield went to pieces, and after chances had been offered to retire the side, the Lima sluggers touched up Handiboe for three singles and a double, and the game was lost.

In this inning Jack Reed again showed that it was his off day by muffing a fly ball and making a wild throw. Tommy Miller fumbled another grounder, and the mischief was done.

It was a hard game to lose. In the sixth inning Faurot was knocked out of the box and Bridges, who took his place, was hit hard during the rest of the game. The local club outbatted the visitors almost 2 to 1, but lost the game by its poor fielding.

On the other hand, Johnnie Handiboe pitched a masterly game, but two hits being secured off of his delivery up to the sixth inning. His wildness in the first inning was costly, but after that he settled down and played the corners of the plate with excellent judgment. He was given excellent support by Quinn behind the bat.

The story of the game in brief is as follows: Violet got to first on four bad ones in the opening inning, but was left. For the visitors, Barnes was given a base on balls and Reed's fumble of Wilbur's grounder allowed him to score. Reed failed to connect with Tanner's grounder and then Handiboe forced a run in by sending two men to bases on balls. T. Miller's muff of Quinn's assist allowed Tanner and Raffert to score.

A. Miller scored for Columbus in the second on wild throws by Kling and Whiteman. He scored again in the third by leading off with a hit and running all the way home on Tanner's attempt to pull down T. Miller's fly in center.

The home team failed to score again until the sixth, when singles by Reed, Haley, West and T. Miller, Hill's three-bagger and two bases on balls netted six runs

Lima in her half secured the same number on errors by Reed and T. Miller and single, by Bridger, Milburn and Raffert and Tanner's double. Another run was added to Lima's score in the seventh on errors by Reed and T. Miller.

Columbus made a desperate effort to tie the score in the ninth. There were two out and two strikes had been called on Healy when he cracked the ball to right for a single. Hill followed with a single and West was hit by the pitcher. A. Miller's single scored Healy and Hill, but West and A. Miller died on bases on T. Miller's fly to left.

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Lima .....4 0 0 0 0 6 1 0 *—11

Hits—Columbus 12, Lima 7; Errors—Columbus 8, Lima 5; Earned runs, Columbus 5; Two base hit, Tanner; Three base hit, Hill. Stolen bases—Violet 2, Healy 2, West, Griffin. First base on balls—off Handiboe 4, off Faurot 6, off Bridges 2. Struck out—by Handiboe 4, by Faurot 3, by Bridges 1. Passed balls, Raffert 2. Time, 2:20. Umpire, McNierney.

ONE ENJOYS

Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and $1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N.Y.

PNEUMATICS.

If the weather permits, Jim Barhydt will lead a run to Lewistown and return to-morrow. The start will be made from the postoffice corner promptly at 7 o'clock. There will be no scorching and everybody is invited to go.

Allen Richmond is training diligently, and many are of the opinion that he will be a winner Decoration Day.

Every person who rides a wheel should participate in the bicycle parade to be given in connection with the memorial services Decoration Day. The Lima Cycling Club, Y. M. C. A. Cycling Club, Ladies' Cycling Club and the little girls' club will all form in separate bodies.

Capt. Bell is endeavoring to get the members of Company C. who have bicycles, to practice a bicycle drill. The Toledo Cadets give a very pretty cycle drill and there is no reason why Company C. can not do as well.

Bloomers will soon make their appearance on the streets of Lima. About fifteen ladies have formed a Bloomer club and have had their costumes made of gray cloth. The suits are uniform and the club will doubtless make an excellence appearance. The bloomer ladies will make their debut within a few days, and will be accompanied by gentlemen escorts.

John Hughes, of the Manhattan Oil company's offices, is one of the fastest of the local novices. He has entered for the road race and will be hard to catch.

Lima can soon boast of a lady who is brave enough to wear bloomers and who holds to her credit some remarkable records for long distance and fast riding. That person is Mrs. W. F. O'Brein, who is now a resident of Springfield. Mrs. O'Brein has several century records to her credit, the first of which was made in a run from Cleveland to Geneva, O., last summer. She was one of twenty ladies so start and was the only one to finish. Many of the gentlemen scorchers were also compelled to drop out but when Cleveland was reached on the return trip Mrs. O'Brein registered next to the pace-maker.

Mr. O'Brein is employed as a bookkeeper in the offices of the Ohio Southern railroad and has been transferred to this city and will remove here next month.

For the bicycle parade on Decoration day, the bicyclists will form on West street, north of North street, as follows: Ladies' Cycling club, in charge of Messrs. J. E. Sullivan and O. F. Ramseyer; Little Girls' club, in charge of W. S. Lowe; Y. M. C. A. club; Lima Cycling club, followed by unorganized wheelmen in charge of Capt. Jas. Barhydt, Pres. H. L. Brice, Sec'y A. A. Creps, H. F. Reel and Sim Stewart.

Chas. Simons and "Buck" Sanders are training on the road course. The latter has entered for the race.

Male Chorus

Meets Monday evening at Choral Society Rooms, Metheany block, to practice for Thursday night's concert. Let every member attend.

W. H. LEHMANN, Sec'y.

Special Sale on Plants

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, at Remagen's, 133 east High street.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

NEW OFFICE.

The Pennsylvania has created a new position, which will be filled by D. L. Caldwalider, who will be connected with the office of General Superintendent Shepherd, at Philadelphia. Mr. Caldwallider's special work will be to look after matters which affect the comfort and convenience of patrons of the Pennsylvania road. Employes are instructed to furnish him with all the information possible, that none of the benefits of the road to its patrons may be overlooked. This is a new departure in railroad circles, the Pennsylvania being the first to adopt such a measure to insure the comforts of travel to passengers.

NOTES.

Engineer D. Hunter, of the C., H. & D., is back on the road again.

Conductor Thomas Bussert, of the C. & E., is visiting his family on Broadway.

C., H. & D. engine 101, was given a trial trip over the road by engineer Harper this morning.

W. F. O'Brien, of the Ohio Southern offices, has gone home to Springfield, on the sick list.

The new management of the Sandusky division of the L. E. & W., is taking steps to keep all trainmen away from saloons. No direct orders in this respect have been bulletined, but the men who frequent or board at saloons are quietly requested to secure new quarters as soon as convenient.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

Don't miss this store if you desire the newest, brightest and best goods for the least money. Don't miss this store if you want to obtain a proper idea of the modern methods of progressive merchandising. Don't miss this store if you wish to keep up with the times.

Lace Curtains.

A new lot at 98c and $1.25 per pair; splendid values for the money.

CORSETS AT 50 CENTS.

Two excellent styles in properly shaped, durable Corsets—white and drab.

Silk Mitts, Hose, Underwear

For warm weather, at

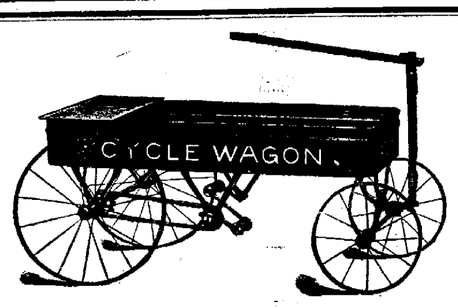
SPECIAL LOW PRICES.

Fancy Parasols.

Dress Ginghams, 6c.

G. E. BLUEM,

57 Public Square. - - The Bargain Dry Goods Store of Lima.



SOMETHING FOR THE BOYS.

Here is a wagon with a steel body three feet long. It has an adjustable bottom, part of which can be taken out to form a seat when used as a bicycle, having the regular pedals the same as an ordinary bicycle. The handle is also adjustable to be used as a bicycle, or it can be used as a wagon tongue when used as a wagon. This useful and amusing bicycle-wagon can be had at

HOOVER BROS.,

The Sole Agents.

charge of Messrs. J. E. Sullivan and O. F. Ramseyer; Little Girls' club, in charge of W. S. Lowe; Y. M. C. A. club; Lima Cycling club, followed by unorganized wheelmen in charge of Capt. Jas. Barhydt, Pres. H. L. Brice, Sec'y A. A. Creps, H. F. Reel and Sim Stewart.

OIL AND GAS.

CRIDERSVILLE FIELD.

George Matteson is drilling a well on the James Bowsher farm for several Lima parties.

The Ohio's Amos Reichelderfer well was shot on last Saturday. It is pumping thirty barrels per day.

Joel Spyker, who is drilling for the Gray Eagle Oil company on the John Reichelderfer, had a crooked hole to straighten out this week.

The rods were drawn from the Shawnee's Aaron Mowery well on last Tuesday. The well started to flow and in one hour put five inches in a 250-barrel tank.

Shaffer, Hover Strasburg well No. 3 on the Graham farm was drilled in the sand on Thursday, and made a showing for a fair well. The Home Oil company well on the Shulthels and No. 3 on the Dan Shaffer farm also made a fair showing.

Frank Cassada, who is drilling for the Ohio on the Hetrick, northeast of town, has been meeting with tough luck. First he got his tools fast and had to abandon them and start a new hole, and after getting down quite a distance the stem broke at a weld and left the drill in the hole, for which they are fishing at present writing.—*Cridersville Record.*

The Gengler Oil Co. has contracted for two wells, one on the Gengler and one on the Swinnen leases. The contract is let to different parties, and there will now be a race to see which will drill in first.—*Delphos Herald.*

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